

# Death Rate Lowest in 63 Years

## AXEMAN PLEADED GUILTY TO 3 COUNTS

Prindle Arraigned at East Cambridge—Three Indictments for Manslaughter

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The Middlesex grand jury reported yesterday before Judge Keating at the East Cambridge court house, and Dist. Atty. William J. Corcoran had his first experience in that office in the court room. The grand jury reported 47 true and four no bills.

James W. Prindle, whose escapades with Bertha Eldridge, the west end girl, brought him within the tolls of



JAMES W. PRINDLE

the court, was indicted in 14 counts for breaking and entering and larceny, six in Somerville, two in Waltham, two in Everett, two in Malden, one in Newton and one in Reading. The girl is out on suspended sentence from the Lowell court. Prindle was arraigned and first pleaded not guilty to any of the 14 counts, but later, after his counsel, Edward Creed, appeared, he was allowed to change his plea on three of

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## SPLENDID HEALTH RECORD FOR PAST YEAR IN LOWELL

The Death Rate of 16.45 the Lowest Since 1850 and Rarely Equalled in the Entire State

After all our trials and tribulations for the last year, alleged and otherwise, it is the least bit gratifying to learn that the city's death rate for the year was the lowest in 63 years.

This information was obtained this morning at the office of the board of health and there is no doubt as to the authenticity of the figures. The fact that the death rate was exceptionally low was gleaned not only from

the annual reports of the board of health but also from the big chart that has been doing business since 1850, when Lowell was incorporated as a city.

The total number of deaths in 1913 was 1749 and the death rate was 16.45. The total number of deaths in 1912 was 1891 and the death rate was 17.79. In order to find as low a death rate as last year's it was necessary to go

back on the big chart to 1850. The population at that time was 33,383 and the death rate was 14.73. In 1858 the population was 37,119 and the death rate was 15.56. The nearest approach in recent years to the death rate for last year was in 1904, when the rate was 16.61.

The low rate for 1913 is rarely equalled in any city or town in the state.

## SEVEN KILLED IN FIGHT IN POLICE COURT

Outbreak in Diamond Mine at South Africa — Armed Farmers and Troops on Guard

JAEGRSFONTAIN, Union of South Africa, Jan. 10.—Seven native laborers in the diamond mines were killed and 36 wounded in an outbreak here this afternoon. A few whites also received injuries.

The trouble had no connection with the strike of railroad men but arose in a dispute about the death of a laborer, which was said to be the result of a kick from a white man.

The whites were driven by the natives into a tunnel of a mine, where they defended themselves. In the meantime the natives destroyed the huts in their compound.

A body of 500 armed whites then came on the scene and dispersed the natives after a sharp fight.

The town is now under the control of a detachment of armed farmers from the surrounding country who are supported by a small force of regular troops.

Only Three Cases on Docket — Absconding Inmates Sentenced

Today's police court session was a very short affair but three cases appearing before Judge Enright for settlement.

The superintendent of the state hospital at Tewksbury had two cases of absconding patients who were both sent to the state farm at Bridgewater.

Hermann Dietrich and John Long both left the infirmary without obtaining a release and returned within the year for aid from the state. Both men pleaded guilty to the charge of soliciting public charity after absconding from the institution.

Michael Bracken was charged with drunkenness. He gave his home as Weymouth and was given until Monday to leave Lowell and return to the bosom of family. Bracken was profuse in his promises for the future.

Best music, Monday, Prescott.

## TO PROVIDE FOR ADMIRALS

Legislation to Care for Officers is Urged in Memoranda Submitted by Paymaster Gen. Cowie

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Legislation to provide for admirals and vice admirals in the navy with permanent commissions and not merely holding the rank while actually serving on sea duty in command of fleets or squadrons, is urged in memoranda just submitted by Paymaster General Cowie, U. S. N., to the house committee on naval affairs. This recommendation follows Secretary Daniels' declaration in favor of four vice admirals and the reported probable attitude of the naval committee in favor of temporary commissioning of rear admirals in these higher ranks.

"This rumored attitude on the part of the naval committee regarding a question of such vital moment," wrote the paymaster general, "is the source of much apprehensive worry to government officials, naval officers and other persons familiar with international affairs who on their well-founded knowledge, very keenly appreciate the necessity which demands the creation of permanent higher flag rank in the American navy. A law that would grant only temporary commissions as admirals and vice admirals would at best prove hardly more than a half-

way measure and would almost entirely fail to bring about just those national benefits and advantages of position, the obtaining of which constitutes the motive of the recommendation. Supreme command in concerted international activities hinges not only upon relative grade standings regarded separately, but also upon the seniority of commissions within a grade. The perpetual relegation of American commanders to inferior phases of joint duties under foreign leadership is something that is neither profitable in practice nor pleasant to think upon.

"An admiral should command a fleet, a vice admiral should command a squadron, a rear admiral should command a division."

Be with the crowd, Mon., Prescott.

### HURLED THROUGH AIR

Two Dugan Children Badly Hurt When Their Sled Hits Rock at New Boston, N. H.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 10.—Edward and Gertrude Dugan, children of Frank Dugan of New Boston, a former well known Manchester resident, were seriously injured yesterday when they were thrown from a sled on which they were coasting. The boy was unconscious for four hours, having been severely bruised about his body and head. Two physicians attended him. The girl lost several teeth and was badly cut about the head.

The children were coasting down an incline near their home. The sled struck a rock and they were hurled through the air. Edward landed on his head and was picked up unconscious.

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## POLICE OFFICER PAIGE ON FORCE 45 YEARS

City Hall Policeman Showered With Congratulations—Tells of His Experiences

Alonzo J. Paige, the genial custodian of the peace at city hall, rounded out 45 years of continuous service in the police department of Lowell, yesterday. Mr. Paige is exceptionally well preserved and is as strong and hearty today as he was 20 years ago.

He joined the Lowell police force when Bickford Lang was chief, and, as he said today in conversation with The Sun reporter, he has seen a good many mayors, chiefs and other superior officers come and go.

Mr. Paige has been at city hall for more than five years having succeeded the late Thomas Sanborn, who, by the way, had been a policeman in this city for 50 years.

Mr. Paige's first beat was on Centralville Heights and he assured the writer today that there were very few houses there in those days. His last beat before coming to city hall was in the Highlands. The faithful officer was showered with congratulations yesterday when it became known that he was observing his 45th anniversary as a policeman.



POLICE OFFICER PAIGE

## STRIKE TIES UP TRAFFIC

Drastic Measures Taken by Government in South Africa to Protect Property

CAPETOWN, S. A., Jan. 10.—Drastic measures have been taken by the government of the union of South Africa to prevent serious trouble arising out of the strike of railway men in the Transvaal and Orange Free State provinces. The entire defense forces of South Africa, including the regulars and the citizens reserve are being mobilized for the protection of property threatened by the strikers who have tied up railroad traffic in the Transvaal and the Orange Free State but have not yet succeeded in so doing in Cape Colony and Natal.

The authorities in mobilizing the forces are looking toward a much greater danger than that of the strike, however, for they fear a possible uprising of the thousands of native laborers in the mines, some of whom are ready to become strikers of unrelenting and are likely to become still more intractable and to start trouble when they learn that provisions may run short on account of the impeded communications.

In Natal the infantry, cavalry and artillery comprising the forces in the Union of South Africa were organized this morning for active service.

Some further arrests of labor leaders were made this morning, among them President Comery of the railway men's executive committee, Dawson, the secretary and Buckley and Benson, members of the executive committee.

George E. Marsh was found murdered on the Lynn marshes, April 12, 1912. Immediately after Dorr had been found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Essex county superior court last February, his counsel, ex-Mayor C. Neal Barney of Lynn filed exceptions. The only contention that Attorney Barney relied upon before the supreme court in his exceptions was the question of jurisdiction. He contended that from the evidence presented at the trial, the jury was not warranted in finding that the crime was committed in Essex county.

On this question the full bench holds that the place where Marsh was killed was question of fact for the jury alone to determine. At the trial, Dorr testified in his own behalf and admitted killing Marsh by shooting with an automatic pistol on the Lynn marshes April 11, 1912, but claimed he did so in self defense, and that the actual killing took place in Suffolk and not Essex county.

ST. ANNE RELIC STOLEN

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 10.—A small bone from the forefinger of St. Anne has been stolen from St. Louis' Roman Catholic church in this city. It was

the most valuable possession of the church and was believed to have great curative powers. It was brought here 13 years ago and had been sealed by Pope Leo XIII.

Parishioners believe it has achieved about 20 cures. As the piece of bone has only a religious value it is believed that some maniac broke in and took it away.

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## THE SPELLBINDER

The inaugural exercises on Monday were given added interest by the delivery of two inaugural addresses, one by the incoming mayor and the other by the outgoing mayor.

Mayor Brown, Mayor Murphy lost a great opportunity in failing to denounce the practice of joyriding in municipal automobiles. With Mayor Murphy of Quincy, he might have condemned the practice of taking a \$1500 automobile to a 25-cent dinner or upon nightly joyrides to return in need of repairs in the early hours of the morning. A homily on this subject, delivered from the high chair at city hall, would interest a whole lot of people.

### The Hospital Controversy

The hospital fight goes on merrily but it is difficult to say where it will end. Is the application of the referendum the city treasurer is forbidden to pay for the Pillsbury estate under the purchase made by last year's city council. Many of those who signed the referendum papers did so under the impression that the whole matter would be referred to the people at a special election; but such is not the case.

It is clear that the whole purpose of the referendum petitions was to delay and suspend the taking effect of the vote on the Pillsbury lot until the new city council should repeal what the former city council had done, and just as soon as the new city council repeals that action, if it does so, the referendum petitions would have no further force or legal effect and no election would be held. People who want the Pillsbury place purchased for a hospital site ask nothing more than that all of the voters be given the chance to say "yes" or "no" on the subject, and this chance and privilege can come to them only by having the necessary number of voters sign the initiative petitions which are in circulation.

Apart from the merits of the dispute the varied proceedings in the case will familiarize the people with the provisions of the new charter.

sons of the new charter. Those who want a special election will have to sign the initiative papers issued by Walter E. Guyette, the real estate agent in the Central block. Should a special election be held it is certain that the selection of the Pillsbury site would be sustained as every other section of the city would vote in favor of that site.

### The Oakland's Sewer

The people of the Oakland want the sewer pump that was spoken of some years ago installed in Westworth avenue. There is an unsolved sewer problem in that district that Alderman Morse would gladly tackle if given the opportunity; but the administration is pledged to strict economy and cannot touch any such heavy undertakings without violating its pledges. However, after we get a new bridge at Westworth, a new hospital, a new public hall, a new high school, a new industrial school, more smooth paving and a new park in West Central, then this Oakland sewer problem may be favorably considered.

### The Regal Chair

His Honor George H. Brown, commissioner of finance, does not like to see His Honor Mayor Murphy assume the regal dignity of the throne chair upon which he can look down upon his colleagues. Ex-Mayor O'Donnell never used this throne chair, preferring to get down on a level with his fellow members. But if Mayor Murphy persists in the use of this chair, he may receive an occasional "call down" from the commissioner of finance unless the latter be also provided with a similar high chair on the other side of the chamber. The small boy will naturally inquire whether the officials who use high chairs at city hall require to be strapped, in.

### Parceling the Appropriations

There will undoubtedly be a lively scramble among the heads of city departments to see how much money each can get for the present year. There is

a loud call for street work but no money; while Supt. Moray, the blue-haired alderman, has to wait the pleasure of the other members and the commissioner of finance before he can put any large number of men to work. There is a rumored intention to do as much as possible for the departments of public safety, streets and public property and as little as possible for schools. I do not believe the citizens will countenance any move of this kind for while they want good streets, more sewers and more municipal buildings, yet they want the schools maintained in good condition and would not tolerate any policy by which the work of educating the children might be crippled by lack of money. But the commissioner of finance says there is money enough, so perhaps after all there is no ground for apprehension. He should know.

### Should Examine His Conscience

A few days ago the "Political Straw" man of the Courier-Citizen actually took the Sun to task for not mentioning Mayor Murphy's name more often in the city hall reports. Perhaps his name was mentioned more frequently than His Honor would wish, but, be that as it may, the incident recalls to my mind a story that fits the case. Daniel O'Connell, the great champion of Ireland's rights, on being mentioned in a complimentary way by the London Times, declared in a public speech that whenever that paper mentioned his name with ordinary respect, he retired to the secrecy of his chamber to examine his conscience in order to ascertain whether in any word or act of his, he had been unfaithful to his country or his people. While I do not make any comparison between Daniel O'Connell and Mayor Murphy, yet I believe the latter may well ask himself, "What have I done that I should be so beset by the Courier-Citizen?" Mayor Murphy in this case has more reason to examine his conscience than ever did Daniel O'Connell.

### Guard the City Line

Mayor Murphy has announced that he will investigate the appointment of three men into the civil service list to the supernumerary police force by ex-Mayor O'Donnell shortly before going out of office. If the present mayor finds the appointments illegal he will at once discharge the men; but otherwise he may have the consolation of treating them as deadly enemies and placing them somewhere in the suburbs to see that no night-murderer shall steal the city line. The civil service commission should be notified that with the present administration it is held to be of more importance how the candidates for appointment voted in the last city election than is the percentage they obtained in the civil service examination.

### "Legacies" to Mr. Barlow

I notice that retiring County Commissioner Marden has issued a lengthy statement, purporting to be "Beform Legacies" turned over to Commissioner Barlow. They are presented as matters which Mr. Marden says were "muddled over" in various discussions among the commissioners while originating mainly with Commissioner Williams. In point of fact, they are mainly the reforms that Commissioner Barlow has been advocating, the chief of which is his move for the application of civil service laws to county institutions same as to state and municipal. Commissioner Gould points out certain county officers who could not very well come under civil service rules, such for example as the sheriff, court officers, clerks of court and the husband and wife placed in each cottage at the county training school. It was never intended to have such officials under civil service.

Mr. Marden was appointed by Commissioners Gould and Williams, and is

naturally interested in presenting any progressive ideas they may have conceived; but something more than the contemplation of changes is needed. Mr. Barlow will have some of the reforms "contemplated" by his predecessors put on the statute books. He will also have many important changes made in the internal affairs of the county unless overruled at all points by his two colleagues.

### The Gambling Bluff Exposed

I notice that a writer in the Courier-Citizen Political Straws misrepresents The Sun in a sneaky manner by separating a sentence from the context and giving it a meaning it did not convey in the article. I had been discussing gambling in Lowell as described by Mayor Murphy in his campaign, and said:

"If I should judge from Mr. Murphy's campaign declarations, there must be about 2000 professional gamblers in Lowell, all of whom go about wearing the finest of clothes and without any other occupation but that of separating honest people from their money."

"With Mayor Murphy allow this army of gamblers to pursue the even tenor of their way and continue to fleece the hard working wage earners, who need the money for the support of their families?"

The Citizen writer quoted the last paragraph with this comment:

"Our esteemed contemporary across the way, while very reluctant, during the recent campaign, to admit the remote possibility of there being any gambling in Lowell, surprised its readers on Saturday with the statement—"

Nobody at The Sun office has had any reason to form a different opinion as

to the manner in which the gambling bluff was used to bluff the public. The Courier-Citizen lent its aid to the misrepresentation of the conditions, while The Sun maintained, as it does now, that gambling was not nearly so prevalent in Lowell as represented by Mr. Murphy and his backers. Now, I find that in order to excuse the total absence of any attempt to suppress gambling the mayor's backers and apologists have been telling the people that the gamblers have left town and in the very item referred to above the Courier-Citizen strawman tries to minimize the alleged evil, or rather to justify the fall lying in regard to the matter before election in the following words:

"We get the tip from well informed persons, that since the night of the election only one regular gambling place has been running in the city, and that a very tame affair, hardly worthy of the name."

The situation in regard to gambling is this: Before election Mayor Murphy held up the gambling bogey to scare the people. The papers that supported him did the same thing. Now The Sun calls upon Mayor Murphy and his police department to bust the gambling trust that he said was playing such havoc among the wage earners of Lowell. But his press backers come out to excuse the inaction of the mayor and the police by saying there is no gambling in Lowell, or that the gamblers have fled the city.

I say there is just as much gambling now as there was before the election, and that the inactivity of the police, taken in connection with the statements currently made during the campaign, that the gambling talk was all for political effect, goes to show that the gambling issue was put bluff and without the semblance of sincerity.

### Political Considerations Paramount

The shakeup in this police department by which the men known to have been in sympathy with ex-Mayor O'Donnell are discriminated against, while those who were outspoken for the election of the present mayor have been transferred to all the most desirable places, is a notification that in the police department, at least, political considerations are paramount, and that men are not free to exercise their political rights without fear of castigation if they happen to be on the losing side. One would imagine that the police department in which individual rights are, or ought to be, respected, would be the last to resort to any discrimination of this kind. But, after all, if the department does the things that Mayor Murphy has promised—perhaps this "new deal" will be overlooked. As yet, however, none of the gamblers of whom so much was said have been hauled over the coals and tomorrow will tell whether there is to be any change in the manner of enforcing the law in the Sunday hotels.

## LAWN TENNIS

West Side Tennis Club to Teach Youngsters How to Play.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Lawn tennis will be caught in early youth and trained to be the McLaughlins of the future, according to the plan adopted by the annual meeting of the West Side Tennis Club. The members favored the suggestion of the national association that the club open the way for at least two hundred junior members to join.

The boys will be developed so that the youngsters of the east may reach that point of skill where they may compete against the wonderful young wielders of the racket from the Pacific coast. The plan is the latest move made in this section of the country to provide for beginners at the game.

The West Side club expects to hold the Davis cup international matches on its new courts at Forest Hills, L. I. The preliminary matches for this famous trophy, it is said, will be played in cities outside of New York with Boston, Philadelphia, and Chicago as the most likely to be selected.

## SUES SPENDTHRIFT WIFE

GEO. E. REYNOLDS SEEKS DIVORCE FROM WIFE WHO DESERTED HIM

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Edith Stevens Reynolds, who squandered an inherited fortune while a companion of George P. Bowler, a New York and Harvard spendthrift is now being sued for divorce by her husband, George E. Reynolds of Somerville.

Nearly ten years have passed since Mrs. Reynolds began her escapades and reckless extravagance, that entangled her in many spectacular court trials. The husband, who has remained silent through all these years, now asks that a divorce be granted on the grounds of desertion.

Mr. Reynolds' home is at 23 Pleasant avenue, Somerville, and his wife is said to be living in New York city. The libel has been filed in the superior court at East Cambridge.

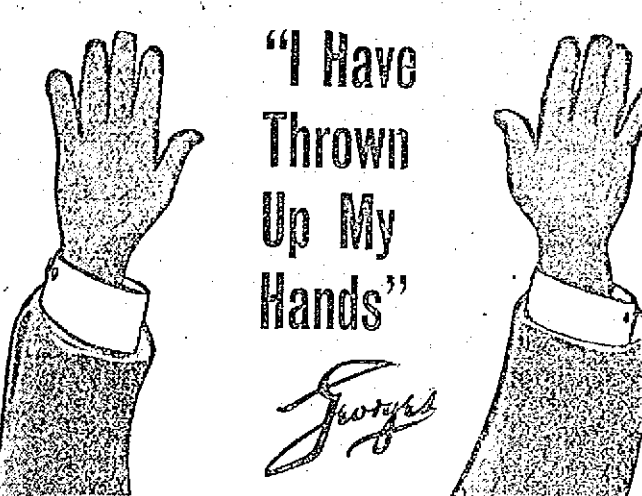
The former Boston beauty received country-wide notoriety nearly seven years ago upon the arrest of her companion, George P. Bowler, on a charge of forgery. She met Bowler through her husband at her home in Commonwealth avenue in 1904.

They became attached to one another and coming into possession of about \$400,000 Mrs. Reynolds deserted her husband a few years later and joined the former Harvard student in a career of most lavish extravagance.

They went to the west where they quarreled and she returned east. Bowler followed east and was arrested in Boston for forging his brother's name to notes held by "Paco" Bennett, lender of money to Harvard students, who died recently.

While confined in the Charles street jail awaiting his trial, Bowler received every attention from his companion who had returned and again vowed her love for him. She carried delicacies to his cell and labored day and night to raise \$15,000 in bail money. By that time they had wasted every cent of the money which Mrs. Reynolds inherited from her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds were married in 1902. The husband was many years the senior of his bride. The match was regarded as a good one in social circles at that time. The former Miss Stevens came from a prominent Boston family and had been educated in a private school.



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## RED MEN MEET AT NORTH BILLERICA

Passaconaway Tribe Held Council Fire in Wigwam Last Night

Sachem Daniel E. Starkey presided at the council fire of the Passaconaway tribe, 32, Improved Order of Red Men in the wigwam in Odd Fellows building, last night. A big raft of routine business was transacted. Good reports of the tribe's finances and membership were made.

The deputy great sachem, Joseph H. McNab, of Haverhill, was unable to be present, and he delegated P. S. James H. Hickey to act as deputy great sachem.

Brother Hickey was assisted by William H. Martin as deputy great senior saganore and by Deputy Great Junior Saganore James A. Shors. Deputy Great Chief of Records Charles J. Martin, Deputy Great Collector of Wampum Richard Towle, Deputy Great Keeper of Wampum George O. Spaulding, Deputy Great Warrior Thos. H. Sellers and Dep. Gt. Brave Edward Whitney. These raised up the chiefs-elect of the tribe to their respective stumps, as follows: Prophet, Daniel E. Starkey; sachem, William Hall, Jr.; senior saganore, R. F. Ellis; chief of records, Arthur W. Garland; collector of wampum, Fred Santum; keeper of wampum, Edward T. Goward; appointed chief guards of wigwam, Fred O. Marshall; guards of forest, George A. Frost; finance committee, Daniel E. Starkey, R. F. Hall, Paul Smith; entertainment committee, Geo. A. Frost, James H. Hickey, William H. Martin, Fred O. Marshall, George O. Spaulding, Thos. H. Sellers and Jas. H. Hickey.

After the last ember had died out on the council fire the Passaconaways hit the trail for the banquet hall, where an oyster supper was served by a committee consisting of George A. Frost, Fred O. Marshall, George O. Spaulding, Thos. H. Sellers and Jas. H. Hickey.

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## PARENT ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED—MOTHERS' CIRCLE HELD INTERESTING MEETING

At 3 o'clock mothers' circle met in the Talbot school, North Billerica, with about 50 women present. Mr. Webber, superintendent of schools, opened the meeting. In the absence of the regular chairman, and introduced Mrs. Smith of Malden as the speaker of the afternoon. She spoke very interestingly of the Parent Teacher association and told of its aims and the work it is doing. She told how to organize an association and it was decided to form a Parent Teacher association at Billerica. A committee consisting of Mrs. E. C. Vining, Mrs. B. O. Sanford and Mrs. Carr was appointed to take charge of the matter.

It was announced that the first meeting of the organization will be held Jan. 22 at the Pollard school at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. It is hoped that all parents, whether they have children in the schools or not, will make a special effort to be present at this meeting. After the business meeting was over a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served by the teachers of the Talbot school.

The newly organized Nokanus club, composed of many of the young ladies of North Billerica, held its first meeting last night at the home of Miss Margaret Condon, to elect officers for the ensuing year. After a spirited contest, the following were elected: President, Miss Florence McNamara; vice president, Miss Agnes Hennessy; treasurer, Miss Anna Higgins; secretary, Miss Lillian Barton. After the election of officers, plans were discussed for future action.

During the evening a musical program was enjoyed, there being piano selections by the Misses Barton, Conway and Higgins; violin selections by the Misses Condon and McNamara; recitations by the Misses Mahoney and Condon, and solos by Miss Hennessy.

Refreshments were served and the club adjourned until the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Miss McNamara.

## MAKE HIM EARN LIVING

STUDENT WHO SPENDS OVER \$700 A YEAR SHOULD BE TAKEN OUT OF COLLEGE, SAYS STRICKER

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The student who spends more than \$700 a year ought to be taken out of college and made to earn his own living. This is the opinion expressed by President Stricker of Hamilton college at a meeting of the alumni of that institution here.

"If I had my way I would put out of college every boy who spends more than \$700 a year," he said. "That boy is doing himself no good and he is a bad example to others."

Prof. A. P. Saunders of Hamilton said that the faculty had come to realize that a college education is unnecessary expense.

## SALARIES RAISED

Mayor Increases Pay of Boston Fire and Police Departments

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—For the second time under his administration, Mayor Fitzgerald last evening increased the salaries of Boston's policemen and firemen. All members of the police department below the rank of captain had their salaries increased, and all members of the fire department below the rank of deputy chief met with like good fortune. The raises will cost the city \$290,000 a year to meet.

Under the orders approved by the mayor the maximum salaries of patrolmen in the police department and of privates in the fire department were increased from \$1300 to \$1400 per year. The officers of the police department below the rank of captain and the officers of the fire department below the rank of deputy chief all had their salaries increased \$200 a year, save the sergeants of police, who got an increase of \$175 a year.

The increase which caused general rejoicing in the police and fire departments last night were a redemption of a promise which the mayor made to the rank and file of the police and fire departments some time ago.

The mayor's action made the policemen and firemen independent of the outcome of the present municipal campaign.

The action last night followed conferences with Police Commissioner O'Meara and Fire Commissioner Cole, both of whom, the mayor says, heartily approved the proposed increases.

The increases are as follows:

**Fire Department**  
District chiefs from \$2300 to \$2500.  
Captains from \$1800 to \$2000.  
Lieutenants from \$1600 to \$1800.  
Privates from \$1300 to \$1400.

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Lieutenants and inspectors from \$1800 to \$2000.  
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**MELROSE MAYOR TO STOP TANGO**  
BOSTON, Jan. 10.—An order was issued by Mayor Murray of Melrose yesterday requesting Chief of Police Kerr to have printed and posted in the various dance halls of the city, notices disapproving the "Tango," "Hesitation Waltz" and "Castle Walk." An officer will be present at all dances to enforce this new movement.

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

## KEITH'S THEATRE

Gus Edwards has composed many acts which have just hit the popular taste, but he has never done anything better than "School Boys and Girls," which comes to the B. F. Keith theatre next week for an engagement. A lot of juvenile enthusiasm is let loose during the act, and the singing all has the real youthful touch to it. What there may be lost in vocal culture is more than made up in the spirit of the act, which each participant does his work. A half score good song numbers, each one capable of bringing an encore, constitute the musical portion of the play. "Grassie and Dan," the name of the little comedy, which is given. The cast of characters follows: "Sassy Little," Dolly O'Hair; "Vera Stormy," Nora Lane; "Helen Chelies," Nellie O'Hair; "Sun Bonnet Sue," Frances Wheeler; "Izzy A. Christian," Albert Frank; "Ritchie Cross," Walter Winchell; "O. Boston Beans Howard," Roy Mack; "Tony Macaroni," David Reid, and the school teacher, Dorothy Aubrey. Among the song numbers are the following: "Arithmetic," "I Just Can't Keep My Eyes," "Come On, Play Ball," and "The Paper Hat Brigade." Everybody loves a stage young man, and this act holds a number of the cleverest of them. The play is a known figure on the contemporary English stage. He put it together at a time when many well known men were experimenting with motor cars. "Grassie and Dan" is a play about these men. Tate decided to write a little satire on them. He did so and the result was one of the biggest money-makers in recent history. Its subject matter is just as applicable to the present times as it was when it was first written. In the cast which presents the piece are the following well known English performers: Owen, Jack Tate; song of the owner, Tom Lane; "Grassie and Dan," the play, small boy, George Hitchings, and a coster, George Manton.

A superlative act of real entertainment is given by Frank Wood and June Wyde. Wood is one of the best known of eccentric dancers and Miss Wyde is declared to be one of the most fascinating young women on the stage. Wood has appeared in leading parts in such well known comedies as "Pip, Puff, Poo," "The Isle of Spies," "The Cinderella Girl," "The Echo," etc. With him in all of them has been Buncie Wyde. In their new act, which is called "Good Evening," they appear to excellent advantage.

The evils of "joy riding" and how a strike was settled as a result of it are shown in "A Cry in the Night." There are two characters in the story, a capitalist and a poor girl, the latter being the president of the strikers' union. They are brought together at midnight in the home of the capitalist and there ensues between them a stirring dialogue. By a clever ruse on the part of the girl, she makes the capitalist believe that he has killed a woman on a recent joy riding expedition, and sells her silence upon condition that the strike will be settled. The piece is very well acted by Will H. Vedder and Kate Morgan.

Valentine Fox, a ventriloquist, who appears in his own sketch called "The Club Man and the Tail Boy," will make many laughs, and Bisset and Scott are very classy eccentric dancers. The bill will open with Loretta and Bud, a woman and a pretty dog, in a posing act. Closing it will be the Pathe weekly pictures. Good seats may be

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Chief Justice White  
Calls Halt as Clock  
Pointed to 4.30

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—A long sentence and a strenuously developed sense of politeness has resulted in the supreme court breaking its rule for once to drop work each day at 4.30 p. m.

Former Attorney General Charles Mullan of Iowa produced the long sentence. Chief Justice White was the Lord Chesterfield of the occasion.

Mr. Mullan was reading the demurrer to an indictment when the clerk pointed to 4.30. The chief justice turned out his electric light and assumed his polite smile, which ordinarily is sufficient to call a halt on a lawyer addressing the court at that hour. But Mr. Mullan had his head down reading at a rapid rate. One minute went by with Mr. Mullan still reading. Two minutes elapsed with the lawyer on the identical long sentence he had begun before 4.30. Justice Lamar could not control his desire to laugh. The entire bench quickly saw the joke and joined the junior member. After three minutes waiting for the end of the sentence that never came, Chief Justice White drowned the lawyer's voice by directing the clerk to adjourn court.

## ALGER AND WOOD BOUT

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 9.—George Alger and Bay Wood went two fast six-round bouts at city hall last night before 1200 sports. In the number of blows struck, Alger had a lead. In the first three rounds he landed several uppercuts, and in the next two rounds got in some hard body blows.

Wood went to the floor twice in the third round. In the fourth both slipped while wrestling and went down, Alger ruffling the worse from the fall. In the sixth round Alger was going strong when the going sounded.

In the first round of the second bout Wood crashed hard into Alger's features, and in the second Alger went to the mat but was soon up. Wood planted two or three telling blows to the body, but toward the close of the bout Alger was again getting in some right handers.

Wood's close covering and Alger's foot alertness saved both boxers at critical moments. It was skillful boxing from the start with Alger a shade the better.

Young Bradman of Boston put Pat Casey of Port McKinley to sleep in the sixth and the seventh rounds. Casey of Port McKinley and "One Shot" McCloskey was stopped in the fifth on account of McCloskey's fouling.

## LAWRENCE BALL TEAM

PETITION OF FORMER TREASURER  
FOR REOPENING OF CASE AGAINST  
CLUB, DISMISSED

BOSTON, Jan. 9.—The petition of Joseph P. Sullivan of Lawrence for a reopening of the case in which the Lawrence baseball club of the New England league was awarded a verdict of \$325 was dismissed by Judge White in the equity session of the superior court today.

The award covered an alleged shortage in Sullivan's accounts when he was treasurer of the club in 1911. In connection with the earlier trial of the case, it was alleged that the sale of Albin Carlstrom, an infielder, to the Boston Red Sox was a so-called "cover-up" transaction.

WHICH SLAVE TRIAL JAN. 11  
MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 9.—The preliminary hearing of Joel M. Foster of Browns Mills, N. J., who was arrested here Wednesday charged with violation of the Mann white slave law has been set for Jan. 14. Foster, 34, is an ex-convict, with a record for a recent decision of a federal judge in Texas who held that the intent of the Mann law was merely to prevent commercialized vice.

His former stenographer, Miss Della Bradley, whom he is charged with having brought from New Jersey in violation of law, today left the hotel where the two were arrested, and sought seclusion in a private boarding house.

During their stay at the hotel the couple were known as Mr. and Mrs. Foster and had entered into society circles of this city.

## ADVERTISE FOR PUPILS

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.—For the first time in the history of the public schools in this city a want of campaign has been resorted to for the purpose of securing pupils. The campaign was started by the board of education to call attention to the opportunities afforded by the evening courses at the William Penn high school for girls.

## DEATHS

SHAY—Miss Norma Helene Shay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Shay, died early this morning, at the family home, 25 Whitney avenue at the age of 18 years, 3 months and 30 days. Miss Shay had been in poor health for some time, but her death was very unexpected. She was born in this city, attended and graduated from the Varum grammar school, and was in her third year at the high school. She is survived by her parents, two sisters, Misses Clara M. and Olga E. Shay of this city. Also a large circle of friends. Funeral notice later.

MORAN—Mrs. Rosa Moran, aged 54 years, died this morning at the Chelmsford Street hospital. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Mary E. Jolly, of Malden, Mass. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of James H. McDermott on Graham street. Funeral notice later.

The Lowell Boys' club association has elected its officers for the year as follows: President, William S. Southworth; vice president, Franklin Nourse; secretary, William A. Mitchell; treasurer, Harry Dunlap; auditor, Frederick C. Church; Lewis E. MacFarland, who has served as treasurer for 10 years, declined a re-election.

Riot Between Citizens  
and Policemen at  
San Francisco

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The trouble started when a young teamster attempted to drive through a parade of the unemployed. He was pulled from his seat and severely beaten before rescued by the police. Three details of reserves were called and fought the rioters right and left before order was restored.

## EDUCATIONAL MATERIAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Vast stores of educational material of special value to teachers lie hidden in government publications, says the federal bureau of education in a statement today. Attention is called to the fact that tons and tons of reports, bulletins and miscellaneous documents are daily turned out by the government printing office containing valuable educational material, although not generally known by the public.

Delving into these publications, experts of the bureau of education have discovered a wealth of teaching material hidden away because the titles of many of these documents give no indication of their value for educational purposes. A bulletin has been prepared by the bureau as a guide to a small portion of this material which has special significance for teachers or others interested in education.

## 16 OF CREW RESCUED

MEMBERS OF FISHING SCHOONER  
ELVA L. SPURLING, SAVED FROM  
DROWNING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Sixteen of the crew of the fishing schooner Elva L. Spurling, of Provincetown, Mass., were rescued early today by the Haco Point life saving station, according to a message received at the treasury department. The report did not state the nature of the disaster.

## WILL ENGLAND ATTEND?

PANAMA EXPOSITION QUESTION TO  
BE RAISED IN PARLIAMENT—SIR  
EDWARD GREY SILENT

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The question whether England should take part in the Panama Pacific exposition is to be raised in the house of commons in the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne with which each parliamentary session is started. Sir Edward Grey, who as head of the foreign office must take the responsibility for the decision of the government not to take part in the exposition, has so far maintained silence on the subject and the debate will give him an opportunity of explaining and defending his course of action.

## GEN. BUCKNER'S DEATH

MUNFORDVILLE, Ky., Jan. 9.—The body of Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, who died at his home near here last night, will be conveyed by special train tomorrow to Frankfort for burial. The widow, relatives and about twenty close friends of the Buckner family will accompany the body of the last surviving lieutenant general of the confederate army from this city to the state capital. It is expected that burial will take place Sunday or Monday.

## TO GREET EARL OF KINTORE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Elaborate plans are being made for the entertainment of the Earl of Kintore, chairman of the Anglo-American peace celebration, who will arrive here next Wednesday. On Thursday the earl will be the guest of the British ambassador at luncheon. In the evening he will be the guest of honor at a dinner attended by representative men in the business and official life of Washington. On Friday evening the secretary of state and Mrs. Bryan will receive in his honor.

## LOSING \$10,000 A DAY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Merchants in this city who make a business of furnishing homes for "newly-weds" today estimated that the death of marriages resulting from the new Wisconsin divorce law is costing them nearly \$10,000 a day. Only five marriage licenses have been issued in this city since the new law went into effect on Jan. 1.

## THE NEW HAVEN CASE

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Application recently filed by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company with the interstate commerce commission for permission to keep its steamship lines was explained today by E. G. Buckland, vice president of the New Haven as having no connection with any possible action against the company under the Sherman anti-trust law.

"I filed the application," said Mr. Buckland, "in accordance with a notice of the interstate commerce commission that any railroad corporation affected by the Panama canal act which wishes to retain its water lines must file such application on or before March 1. Whatever the commission may decide under the Panama act, of course, has no connection with the Sherman law, which forbids combinations in restraint of trade."

FIGHT DANCE HALL OFFICER  
AFTER THE TANGO

Commissioner Carmichael, who is in charge of the water and fire departments, is conducting an investigation relative to the legality of the appointment of twelve policemen to the regular fire department forces, and accordingly he has written to the civil service commission.

The commissioner is in receipt of a letter from the secretary of the civil service commission to the effect that Messrs. E. Landry and J. E. Fontaine were not regularly appointed to the permanent force. These two men were appointed on Dec. 15 and according to the civil service commission they had not served five or more years as call-men as is required under the provisions of chapter 487 of the acts of 1913.

The letter received is as follows:

January 8, 1914.  
Col. James H. Carmichael,  
Commissioner of Water Works and Fire Protection, Lowell, Mass.  
Dear Sir: Referring to the appointment of E. Landry and J. E. Fontaine to the permanent fire force of Lowell, under the provisions of Chapter 487 of the Acts of 1913, I beg to call your attention to the fact that from the records in this office it does not appear that these persons have served for five or more successive years and that, therefore their appointment to the permanent force at this time seems to be irregular.

Very truly yours,  
Warren Dudgey,  
Secretary.

Commissioner Carmichael in an interview this morning stated that it is not his desire to deprive men of work, but he was forced to abide by the rules of the civil service commission. "If I do not discharge those men the commission will take their names off the payroll," said the commissioner. "I understand a delegation from some club has been appointed to see me on the matter, but this will be useless, for I cannot retain these men in the department on account of their appointment not being legal. As far as the other appointments are concerned, I am conducting a thorough investigation and will have definite news in a few days."

Mr. Landry was conducting a fruit store in West Sixth street, while Mr. Fontaine was a co-partner of the New England Steam Laundry Co., and both men after being appointed to the department sold out their business interests.

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The number of Sea Island cotton bales included were 74,329 compared with 67,257 bales last year, 105,553 bales in 1911, 89,611 bales in 1909, and 86,523 bales in 1908.

Ginnings prior to Jan. 1 by states, with comparisons for last year and other big crop years to that date in the States Year Ginnings

States Year	Ginnings
Alabama—	
1913	1,467,343
1912	1,289,227
1911	1,018,510
1908	1,302,353
Arkansas—	
1913	993,289
1912	742,118
1911	756,339
1908	915,423
Florida—	
1913	63,269
1912	56,042
1911	56,421
1908	66,554
Georgia—	
1913	2,278,177
1912	1,754,584
1911	2,623,917
1908	1,936,754
Louisiana—	
1913	470,088
1912	385,402
1911	463,810
1908	463,810
Mississippi—	
1913	1,145,067
1912	926,412
1911	1,047,297
1908	1,322,160
North Carolina—	
1913	759,654
1912	557,159
1911	756,223
1908	817,605
Oklahoma—	
1913	804,457
1912	947,482
1911	905,403
1908	826,616
South Carolina—	
1913	1,342,558
1912	1,172,277
1911	1,505,754
1908	1,176,220
Tennessee—	
1913	324,548
1912	245,511
1911	351,258
1908	317,407
Texas—	
1913	3,698,688
1912	4,457,748
1911	3,926,634
1908	2,486,007
Other States—	
1913	167,101
1912	52,257
1911	110,296
1908	67,777

The ginnings of Sea Island cotton, prior to Jan. 1, by states, follow:

Years Florida Georgia S. Carolina  
1913 ... 25,166 41,768 7,381  
1912 ... 21,086 33,543 5,029  
1911 ... 38,091 64,090 4,708  
1908 ... 27,532 49,744 12,135

The next ginning report will be issued Friday, Jan. 23, at 10 a. m., and will announce the quantity of cotton ginned prior to Jan. 15.

## THE LAWRENCE ELECTION

EX-MAYOR WHITE INTENDS TO  
CONTEST ELECTION OF MAYOR  
SCANLON

LAWRENCE, Jan. 9.—Ex-Mayor William P. White, who was defeated by Mayor Michael A. Scanlon in the recent municipal election, has served notice on City Clerk Wade that he intends to contest the election of Mayor Scanlon. White declined to say today on what grounds he is to bring his action. The ballots are being held in case they are needed for examination.

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## LADY LOOKABOUT

When casting about for some benefactor of the human race to whom honor is due, but who has been neglected, a wreath of laurel should be placed on the brow of the man who caused the low heel to be returned to fashion. He should be placed in the same category as Jenner, Lorenz, Pasteur and Lister, and he should hold first place among them. Local shoe stores have been showing the low heel for some time, but it was not until I had seen it worn by many that I decided to purchase. I have never suffered from them, but the restfulness, the ease, the joy of the low heel, it seems that I never knew foot-comfort until now.

A new remedy for foot trouble and much of the "spurious" rheumatism of feet, knees, hips and back, is "toeing in." Observation has shown that the point of the great toe falls within the median line of the foot. All our lives we have been wearing boots which forced the great toe to a point in the middle of the foot. Notice the tracks made by your feet in walking; they should form interrupted parallel lines, not a series of divergent lines. Be a bit pigeon-toed; the spray is coming to nature. Watch the graceful gait of the well-polished athletic girl of today. She toes straight ahead. Her nervous, anemic mother toed mincingly outward.

**Women as Jurors**

Since equal suffrage was granted in the state of Washington, women have been serving as jurors. At first the innovation of a woman juror was met with sharp criticism, the main point of which was that the "association of mixed juries would commingle her, and rob men of their respect for the sex." From the first, male jurors have treated their fellow-women jurors with

the utmost chivalrous discrimination and they have been solicitous that she be spared every avoidable embarrassment. Women jurors have been found neither impractical nor too sympathetic. Neither have they been susceptible to the wiles of crafty attorneys as was predicted.

Of five first degree murder cases in which women jurors sat in judgment, a verdict of guilty was returned in each case, though the charge was reduced to second degree murder in four of them. Women jurors in a "purity squad" case gave a woman plaintiff a \$200 verdict for the breaking in of her door by a policeman, who was in honest error; she asked for \$10,000. Women jurors gave a woman \$1,500 for the breach of promise to wed, of a man of some property; she asked \$5,000. Another woman was awarded one dollar against a man who gave more promise of being a liability than an asset as a husband, on the ground that she was better off without his affection.

**The Tariff Bill**

For a long time I have been wondering just how the new tariff bill would affect the personality and the individual. It would come down to the individual, but stop at it generally has, with the trusts. I have just read the advertisement of a reliable clothing house which refers to the saying in buying one may avail himself of since the tariff went into effect, January 1st. This house advertises men's London suits at \$10.00, which is a saving of 25 per cent. instead of more than 50 per cent. the old duty, which was 50 per cent. ad valorem and 10 cents per pound wool weight, specific duty. This amounts to a saving of one-third, which is to the purchaser's advantage.

**About Home Study**

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the recently re-installed superintendent of Chicago schools, probably had the correct idea in mind when she decided to discontinue home study on the part of school children. It is true that a child who spends five hours a day in school, studies enough without carrying a study period into his home. It seems to me, however, that there is another side to be considered. It is all very well for the teacher to impart or convey to the children a learned lesson, but it is fair to the child that he not be required to dig and work a little for the knowledge he is to need later in life? One of the pleasantest recollections of my own youth, is the study hour we children had at home every evening. From eldest to youngest, we sat about the old table with its oil lamp in the middle, and silence prevailed while we combed our lessons under the watchful eyes of a stern father, and the helpful encouragement of a kind mother, the encouragement of a kind mother, the encouragement of a kind mother.

**WINTER WINDS CHAP THE SKIN**



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or ones learning from the older. And when we finally out-stripped our parents in book-lore, much of the fun was gone, but the studying habit remained and we all have it to this day: and "happily," said the Duke of Wellington, "it is ten times nature."

There are many movements on foot, by which the school is to be made a play house, and the school room a club room, where the child is to go for a good time, under the direction of a teacher who must be an adept at playing games, at dancing, and general all-round entertaining. If much more is required of her, she will be able to give up teaching school and go on the vaudeville stage, where she will command a much higher salary as an acrobat, a monologist, a danseuse, a singer, and a lightning artist all combined in one.

It seems to me that the children are receiving poor preparation for a life that means work for the men and women of tomorrow. Life is just as real and just as earnest as it was a generation or two ago when the poet Longfellow told us so in the "Psalm of Life," unpleasant duties and irksome tasks must be faced by the adult. We are not doing justice to the child when we permit him, in fact teach him to evade tasks of this nature when they occur in the daily routine of the curriculum.

I could name for you, dozens who had studied in their homes nights after days of labor, and the list would include the name of Abraham Lincoln who studied nightly by the light of an open log fire, and Benjamin Franklin who left school at the age of ten years. Of course home study can be overdone, but instances of this nature are so rare that I am sure none of us has ever seen one.

**Making His Mark**

What a pity it is that a man who smokes at liberty to strike his matches anywhere that comes handy to him. The next time you pass down Merrimack street, just observe the match strike marks flanking every doorway and post on the street. I know every man desires to make his mark in the world, but I am afraid many fail to make any mark but the one to which I refer. This does not excuse the practice, and if these men were considerate of the rights of property-owners, they would not thus disfigure their property.

But on the other hand, these same men are not considerate of their own property. As I write, I recall to mind a man of my acquaintance, the leg of whose trousers has a scar from matching the all the kind of horses and all the king's men could not make the stripes left by the matches would remind one of a zebra as much as anything, yet this very man is of so retelling a nature that he would not wear striped trousers. He thinks they are "loud."

**Head Cold, Germ**

Achoo! Achoo! The man sitting opposite me in the Chelmsford street car had simply sneezed. It was an open-faced sneeze, and at rough count I estimated that fully 10,000,000,000 of microbes were set free and even then seeking new browsing grounds. I took out my pocket handkerchief. Now the man who invented ladies' pocket-handkerchiefs surely paid a pretty compliment to ladies' noses—that is some ladies' noses—but he might just as well have placed linen postage stamps in our hands. I used mine, but to no avail. The next morning I had a "head cold" and for a full week my nose was absolutely useless as an organ of respiration; it was simply an ornament to my face.

This is one way in which colds are passed around, and it is a way which finds the ordinary person defenseless. Lack of ventilation is another way. Good authorities declare we cannot possibly catch any of the respiratory diseases out in the open. Proximity to an indoor cold-sufferer who is careless, is essential to the production of fresh cases of cold, sore throat, tonsillitis, and so on through tuberculosis. These diseases cannot be acquired out of doors because the bacteria which cause them cannot survive outside the body in a cold place or in direct sunlight.

LADY LOOKABOUT.

## NORTH CHELMSFORD

A delightful whist party was held at St. John's hall, North Chelmsford, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The affair was largely attended and at the close of the contest prizes were awarded as follows:

**Ladies'—First prize**, Miss Elizabeth Kearns, gold pendant and chain; second, Miss Agnes Hogan, box of candy; consolation, Miss Margaret Ready. **Gentlemen's—First prize**, Edward Lawrence, stickpin; second, John Garvey, who also tied for first place, box of candy; consolation, George Welsh. Miss Mary Cox and Miss Grace Cummins were the scorers, and Miss Bello Valentine, president of the society, supervised the general arrangements, which had been entrusted to Miss Nina Callahan and Mrs. Michael Scollan. Refreshments were served during the intermission.

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LOT 5—Ladies' \$10 and \$18 Suits. Removal price.....\$1.98

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LOT 7—350 Ladies' Trimmed Hats, \$3 to \$7. Removal price.....49c

LOT 8—Ladies' Shirt Waists, all colors and sizes, value 75c. Removal price 19c

LOT 9—Children's Coats, \$1.50 to \$3.50 value. Removal price.....95c

LOT 10—Men's \$1.50 to \$2 Hats. Removal price.... 97c

LOT 11—Ladies' Street Skirts, value \$2. Removal price 98c

LOT 12—Ladies' Furs, sold for \$1.50. Removal price 98c

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## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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## LOWELL

John T. Conway to Bridget Crane, land and buildings on Smith street.  
Emma F. Parker est., by exor., to John J. Hayden, land and buildings on Burns street.  
Nelle E. Brogan to City of Lowell, land at Washington park.  
Arnette Rousseau, et al., by trustee of mortgage, to Jacob Weichel, et al., land and buildings on Dayton street.  
Central Savings Bank, Lowell, to Joseph P. Querry, et al., land and buildings on Willis street.  
James A. Howe et al., to A. Hayden Sawyer, land and buildings cor. Second and Pearl streets.  
Rowena Hildreth Read est., by exor., to Oscar F. Prentiss, land and buildings on Bridge street.  
Harvey B. Greene to Catherine F. Mellon, land and buildings on Pine street.  
Emma Smith Harris to James F. Muloney, land and buildings on Chauncey avenue.  
Margaret Donoghue to Nasar Pazouk, et ux., land and buildings on Suffolk street.  
Sadie V. Barnes by mortgage, to William D. Brown, land on Mill street, and passage ways.  
Pearl Stahl to Antonio Capugno, et ux., land and buildings on McIntyre street.  
Helen C. Osgood et al., to Marion L. Garlick, land and buildings on Bridge street.  
Trs. of Lowell Silent Society to Mar-

ion L. Garlick, land and buildings on Bridge street.

## BILDERICA

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Gertrude S. Beals, land cor. Friendship and Peace streets.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Patrick J. Sweeney, land at Nuttings Lake Park.  
George H. Hill to Louis Frechette, land on Walling road.  
George H. Hill to Ronald Fortier, land on Walling road.  
James T. Burke by mortgage, to Clarence H. Gleason, land on S. W. side Shawashen road.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Catherine T. Burns, land at Nuttings Lake Park.  
Phil F. Holden to Catherine Lavretta Carter, land and buildings on road to Bedford.  
CHELMSFORD  
James Hill to Martha M. Glover et al., land and buildings on Gorham street.  
Daniel E. Wakefield to Minot A. Benn, land on Cortes street.  
James M. Glover et al., to Martha M. Glover et al., land on Gorham street and another street.  
Perley P. Perham est., by trs., to John W. Perham, land at Old Turnpike.  
Louisa E. Fowle et al., to John W. Perham, land at Old Turnpike.  
DRACUT  
George B. Cooney to Richard Young, land on Varnum avenue.  
Helen F. Richardson et al., to Fenton J. Dempsey, land on Linden street.  
Levitt R. J. Varnum to Cora B. Cooper, land on Kearrage street.  
Benjamin F. Heald to John A. Daback, land on Lakeview avenue and Beaver Brook.  
TEWKSBURY  
Grace V. Nickerson to Louise Tolstrup, land on Elm street.  
John W. Foster to Fannie Muchnick, land on Valley road.  
Enoch W. Foster to Mary E. Dewan, land on private way.  
Grace V. Nickerson to Robertina M. O'Leary, land on Main street.  
Albert S. Briggs to Lewis Emil Small, land on Pine street and Round Pond.  
Jacob W. Wilbur to John J. Sullivan, land on Berkeley street.  
Pietro Ronighi to Walter Baigalupo, land, cor. Spruce street and Salm road.  
TYNGSBURY  
Edgar C. Linn et al., to James A. Leighton, land on Willow Dale avenue.  
Jonathan Rogers, et al., by atty., to John Rogers, land on Tyngsboro, Land-seed and Bay State roads.  
Martha J. Proctor est., by admr., to Henry S. Proctor, land and buildings on road to Dunstable.  
WESTFORD  
Lucy M. Flagg to Frank Gregory, land on Littleton road.  
WILMINGTON  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Amancio Augusto De Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Senherenha Ezebel De Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.  
Brunswick D. Brown est., by admr., to Bartholomew J. Lehan, land and buildings cor. Cottage and Lake View avenues.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank Loukatis, land at Wilmington Square Park.  
George A. McCormack to Reginald D. Lurvey, land on Commonwealth avenue.  
Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Charles E. Wayshell, land at Wilmington Square Park.  
Ernest H. Venblat to John Lagerstrom, land at Pingree Park.  
Aaron Adelman to Sophie Smith, land cor. Garden road and Scituate street.  
William Macfarlane to Francis H. Mann, land on Park avenue.  
Charles E. Fowle to Florence E. Collins, land at Oakland Park.

## BACKACHE GONE—GAINED FIFTY POUNDS

For about a year I suffered with pains in the back and would be very tired when arising in the morning, with burning sensation. I dropped in weight to 110 pounds. I read one of your advertisements and commenced taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and in ten days I had gained 10 pounds. I have been feeling good ever since. I took four bottles of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root altogether and I highly recommend it to my friends as a good remedy for anyone suffering as I did. I am employed in a store and have to be on my feet all the time. I am thirty-four years old.

Very truly yours,

T. H. MORGAN,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

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## FALCON'S NIGHT

Battle of Music Attraction Last Night at Associate Hall

The fourth annual party and dance of the Falcons was held last night in Associate hall where a battle of music ensued between Miner's and Doyle's orchestras. The dance order contained 36 numbers, with extras, and the attendance was unusually large.

The success of the affair was due to the splendid efforts of the following officers: General manager, Leo P. Ward; assistant general manager, William Noonan; floor director, George A. Flinders; assistant floor director, Pat-

rick F. Flannery; aids, Catherine Devine, Odette Creamer, Sadie Foley, Leo McEvoy, Mary McQuade, Mollie Townsend, James Gray, Walter McEvoy, Anna O'Laughlin, Gertie Cooney, Mary Farrell, Madeline Flinders, Dora Ward, Mae Maloney, Margaret Farrell, Catherine Farrell, Walter Dow, Mae Livesey, Della Baxter, Irene Devine; treasurer, James W. McEvoy.

**CARPENTERS' UNION MEETING**  
The members of Millmen's local, 1468, Carpenters' union, held a special meeting in their hall in Rindels' building last night. The affair was largely attended and at the close of the business meeting an enjoyable smoke talk was held. An informal entertainment program was carried out much to the satisfaction of those present, those taking part being: John Morin, Frank Beaulieu, Henry Duprez, Thomas Lin-scott, Michael A. Lee, Charles Poivert, M. Sauvageau, James Erwin and Morris Greenbaum.

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## OBJECTIONABLE DANCES

The news columns of the daily press have been giving wide publicity to recent events both in this country and abroad which show that opinion as to the propriety of the "tango" and other modern dances is still very much divided. In some churches, not many miles distant the pastors have come out in open condemnation and Boston society puts its semi-official ban on the extreme tendency towards unrestrained by banning the new dances from the assembly parties which began in that city a short time ago. On the other hand one hears approval of the new dances from people that would not consciously approve anything degrading, immodest or vulgar, and the press stories are by no means confined to events that show unreserved condemnation.

In London recently a strong feeling had grown up against the new dances which were being patronized by fashionable society. Many eminent churchmen at first protested against them. Even the court which still influences the social side of English life showed disapproval in many unmistakable ways. Acting on the presumption that much of this opposition came from those who disapproved without having seen or understood, one of the London theatres gave a special matinee performance "for the edification of peeresses and church dignitaries." After several exhibitions of the dances, a vote was taken, and the result showed 731 in favor to only 21 against. As the identity of the voters was not revealed it is not certain that these votes represented the opinions of the bishops or the nobility, but it would undoubtedly represent the feelings of the average theatrical audience, were the new dances given as spectacular features devoid of vulgarity.

This incident of the London theatre contains the whole argument for and against the new dances. They may be danced gracefully and modestly and as interpreted by the vulgar or the vicious they may be made disgraceful exhibitions. Not infrequently the same dance hall reveals both types of dancers and dances. Realizing, perhaps, that the tendency cannot be eliminated easily once the feeling of abandon has got into the minds of youth, many groups of refined people have taken lessons in the new dances so as to learn them without their objectionable features. As danced by such people, they may be unobjectionable, but unfortunately two pairs of dancers who abuse the liberty of the tango and other new dances may and do discredit all who dance on the same floor. The result is that rightly or wrongly the modern steps have become identified in the public mind with exhibitions of ungraceful and disgraceful vulgarity.

It may not be practical to banish any special dance from public dance halls but it is possible to ban what is objectionable regardless of the name of the dance. The modern dances are simply an expression of the animal spirits that break out in the singing of rag-time songs. The fault is, in the last analysis, more with the dancers than with the dances. Even the old fashioned waltz may be danced objectionably by those who have only a slight regard for public decency. There is a limit beyond which public toleration will not go, and the aim should be to set a higher standard and see that if the new dances are indulged in, they be performed without their objectionable features. If the tango and kindred steps cannot be danced without descending to vulgarity, then they should be prohibited entirely and absolutely.

To understand the feeling back of some of the objections one need only read the effect of the waltz and the other round dances on the public when they came to supersede the minuet in the days of our grandmothers, and today we regard the dances then considered immodest as the acme of propriety. Remembering this, the aim should be not to condemn new dances merely because they are new, but to rid them of their objectionable features.

## THE FALL RIVER LINE

One of the minor matters that keeps Attorney-General McReynolds and Chairman Elliot of the New Haven road from reaching an agreement relative to the dissolving of the New Haven monopoly of the transportation of New England, is a lack of understanding concerning the proposed separation of the properties of the New Haven railroad and the New England Steamship company. The government up to the present has insisted that such a separation must take place and the officials of the road are equally insistent on the retention of some of their steamship lines, alleging that possession of them does not conflict with any existing law.

Should the railroad be compelled to give up its holdings in the New England Steamship company, control of the Fall River line would pass out of its hands. Undoubtedly the government would strive to get this line under the management that would be in keeping with the ideals of the administration, but there is no indication

that the service to the public would be improved thereby, and betterment of the public service is the only consideration that would justify abandonment of the Sound lines. The public call for rehabilitation of the New Haven does not emphasize the abandonment of the Fall River line as being necessary, for to the people of the region served by this public service company it has been a great benefit.

The Fall River chamber of commerce has sent a telegram to the attorney-general protesting against the insistence of the government on this head and stating that the separation would hurt Fall River and all New England. The mass of public opinion in this region stands back of this protest for though the reorganization of the New England railroad properties is a crying need, the reform expected and desired does not include the abandonment of the Fall River line and the other Sound lines by the New Haven. In this the public is prompted merely by a desire for good service, and if the government insists on its first stipulation, there will be general discontent until the Sound lines are run as efficiently as at present or more so.

## THE FORD GENEROSITY

The Ford Motor company of Detroit has attracted universal interest by its declaration that it will divide approximately \$10,000,000 of its estimated earnings for the coming year among its employees, who number about 25,000, with the result that all who at present receive less than \$5.00 per day will receive that as a minimum wage. In addition, the working hour schedule of nine hours per day will be reduced to eight and the factory will be run continually for six days per week in eight hour shifts.

The idea of the company is to make each employee a stockholder, paying him profits not on his financial investment but on his efficiency and the faithful discharge of his duty. The principle is the application of what is being called by some of the papers "social justice." The New York World calls it "a recognition of capital's implied obligation to labor." It is a new departure that will ensure the very best results in labor and loyalty from the employees but it is doubtful if it will be followed to any extent by other companies or even continued by the Ford company through the less prosperous years that are sure to come to all industries.

There is one side of the question which cannot fail to strike the thoughtful who view it from all angles. It is contained in the question of a contemporary which asks: "How could they make such profits?" The man who views the declared generous purpose of the company in an impersonal way may admire, but the man who contemplates buying a car will naturally wonder why, if the company has millions to give away from its annual earnings, it does not let the public get a slice of the metron by reduced prices. This is a very selfish but a very human and timely view of the much advertised beneficence.

## THE PILLSBURY SITE

Whatever action is taken with regard to clearing the atmosphere surrounding the legal status of the selection of the Pillsbury site for a contagious hospital, it looks as though the matter will eventually be submitted to the citizens of Lowell either through the referendum or the initiative. The dismissal of the bill in equity brought by the Belvidere petitioners simplifies the situation considerably though it does not prevent the bringing of a like proceeding if such should be again desired at a future time. If the vote of the last municipal council is allowed to stand, both sides might well agree to the referendum which would allow the people of the entire city to vote on the matter. If the vote of the last council is rescinded, those in favor of the Pillsbury site will have recourse to the initiative which will compel a special election. The situation is rapidly simplifying itself into two considerations: The city must build a contagious hospital, and the electorate is to decide whether it will be built on the Pillsbury site or some other.

## MAKING NEW LAWS

The history of last year's legislature is full of warning to the members of the incoming session for there has rarely been a time of greater legislative activity followed by such poor results. Days and days were wasted in laws that will have as direct a result on the lives or interests of the people as would a law to prohibit the crow of the nursery rhyme from again jumping over the moon. It is the privilege of all of us to be represented at the legislature by a bill, if we can get somebody to introduce it, but it is a parody on law-making to frame laws that are shut up in the pages of the statute books until resurrected by some legal antiquarian. It is a sufficient reflection on the members of the legislature that some of them occasionally vote for a bill which they do not un-

derstand, without their being obliged to saddle responsibility for laws that are needless, if not ridiculous. There are real needs sufficient to bar the introduction of "frank" bills.

The man who mockingly says: "Snow, snow, beautiful snow," while pointing to the slush on the streets forgets that, like many other beautiful things, it came fair and pure from heaven and was marred by the mire of the earth.

Here, many say, we see the evils of over-educating the masses; in Mexico they are reaping the fruit of keeping them in ignorant serfdom. Which country has the better end of the bargain?

The academic Boston Transcript recently said in a news item: "He committed suicide shortly before he had planned to go to a New Year party." Did this come from a Spiritualist reporter?

Who said something about the local burlesque of the great idealist and great Commander of the national administration?

Hope your cold is better.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

**THE PARTY SPLIT**  
Worcester Post: Senator Bristow of Kansas, Rooseveltian, now announces his return to full republican allegiance, since Victor Murdock has decided to run against him for senator. Bristow hopes now, evidently, from republican aid than from divided bull moose. But out in California things seem to be fixed up inside the third party with Governor Hiram Johnson to again run for governor and Francis J. Henry for senator.

**SEEKING COOPERATION**  
Municipal Journal: The majority of offices distribute to their householders

## WATERY ERUPTION ON CHILD'S FACE

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## PARCEL POST

Woonsocket Call: Parcel post is a sensational youngster. It has just passed its first birthday and such sturdy growth has never been seen in a government activity. It started a pulling infant to compete with the express companies, who in many years had handled all the large and small package business, and had grown rich and arrogant. Indeed this arrogance, expressed through prices and a dilatory service, was the cause of the parcel post's coming into existence.

## IF ETC.

Lowell Sun: If a considerable number of women would read law and come to understand the great leading principles on which rights are ascertained and enforced, their superior position in debate of public questions would compel respect for their arguments and go far to make it desirable to have them vote.

## TO REFOREST WASTES

Jenna Her: The Massachusetts Forestry association will introduce a bill in the legislature to provide for reforesting the million of acres of wild and waste lands which now produce nothing commercially valuable and securely anything of value through taxation. In offering their bill they present several cogent reasons for the passage of such a law. While a million acres are now unproductive, more land is becoming waste every year. Private owners cannot afford to reclaim this land, many towns are too poor to undertake it, and the state is the only agency that can deal with the problem.

## RIDERS ON MILLS

Salon News: Riders on appropriation bills, according to a Washington despatch, are to be given no privileged status in the supreme court. A decision was rendered by Chief Justice White in passing on a rider to the sundry civil appropriation bill of 1907, whereby the treasury department officials were directed to follow the court's decision in "all" claims.

You thought, perhaps, of getting your tree a tool bench for Christmas, and that you would have a good one now, for The Thompson Hardware Co. has marked down the remainder of its stock of benches 25 per cent to close them out.

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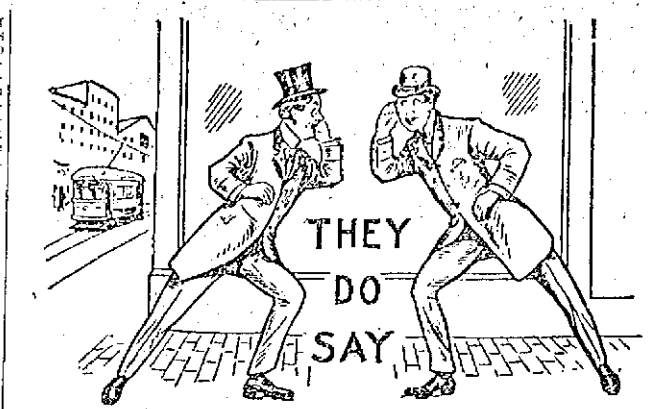
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That Charlie Morse may make a change in clerks.

That most of us are experts in the other fellow's business.

That a few of the policemen are still on the anxious seat.

That some people can never see a joke—on themselves.

That The Sun noon edition is increasing in circulation.

That the ice dealers would welcome a week or two of cold weather.

That Commissioner Donnelly allows he will enjoy the change.

That all the local national banks have approved the new currency bill.

That "Bob" is not struck with the glasses worn by his friend, Winfred.

That Mildred Champagne fairly bubbles over with wit and humor.

That the mildest of men have been heard to call for devilish ham.

That the cops on the ice house beat can keep busy by catching cold.

That the lodgers say the new hair mattresses are a great improvement.

That under the new tariff as under the old ten mills make only one cent.

That it was a great gathering of old-timers at the Mathews the other night.

That the St. Patrick's day convention tomorrow will not favor a parade.

That a few hustlers like Andrew Welch would help any great movement.

That the Courier-Citizen is not slobbery all over Mayor Murphy without a motive.

That the fourth degree knights are sharpening up their appetites for the banquet.

That once more the stage is about to be elevated, with E. C. Cull as the elevator man.

That the committee in charge of the local carmen's smoker has arranged a great program.

That plans are being made for several elaborate camp openings this spring.

That the "Kiddies" certainly enjoyed the skating at Shepley park while it lasted.

That the animal dances appeal to a lot of silly geese, asses and others of that ilk.

That changing votes is becoming one of the most popular indoor games at city hall.

That the recent banquet of Highland council, R. A. was one of the most successful in the history of the council.

That the Federal baseball league is doing a wholesale job on the old National league.

That Lowell men will attend the banquet to Governor Walsh in Worcester Monday night.

That Speaker Grafton Cushing but one over on the astute Martin of ward 5, Boston.

That the breaking up of the Kenny rally by Curley cohorts doesn't help Curley a little bit.

That Jack Geraghty was elected alderman, qualified and then resigned his job in short order.

That C. Oliver Barnes was "there" with the anecdotes at the armory the other night.

That the linen shower today at St. John's hospital will undoubtedly be a great success.

That bachelor Elks without partners for the coming affair need only apply to E. R. Dawson.

That John Golden is making the arrangements for his cotillion to be held next month.

That the inspector of "animal dances" was conspicuous by his absence at the cops' ball.

That Tom Hoban put a rabbit on the book and Fred Snow howled—"Come boys, I hooked a muskrat."

That the drive against Thomas Duckworth as superintendent of cemeteries still continues.

That Col. Carmichael's familiarity with civil service matters will stand him in good stead.

That the thought of changing his occupation worries the man who has crossed the 40 line.

That Lavin M. Fuller will make a very competent regent of the Highland council, R. A.

That the sleigh-ride party by the employees of Saunders' market Thursday night was an enjoyable affair.

That the past week has the record for the number of installations of officers in the various societies and lodges.

That there was many a fall between the "parlor" and home last Sunday night.

That considerable interest is being shown in the election of officers of the senior class of the high school.

That the entries in that Christmas diary are getting just a little shorter every day.

That the members of the C. Y. M. I. speak highly of the entertaining powers of the C. Y. M. A. of Lawrence.

That the explosion in the Prescott mill like some other local explosions was the result of hot air pressure.

That Judge Wait didn't wait long to throw the weight of his judgment against the bill in equity.

That many a poor chap made a New Year resolution to wear his Christmas needles for the sake of family peace.

That the only way to get a woman to keep a secret is to refrain from telling it to her.

That Mayor Murphy's inaugural suit was up to the minute. John J. Sullivan, Lowell's leading tailor, made it. That's the answer.

That a number of local boys can be

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Men's First Quality Rubbers—reinforced where the wear comes.....85c to \$1.00  
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Full lines of conservative lasts and the newest of smart styles for young men. Box calf and gun metal; double soles for street wear and single sole dress shoes, button and lace, were \$4.00, now \$2.85

**Boys' Skating Boots \$1.75**  
**Boys' Heavy Grain Leather Skating and Storm Boots.**  
Good long legs, with extra heavy double soles—metal eyelets, two strap fasteners at top, tan color or black. Sizes 8 to 13 1-2.....\$1.50  
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**Ward's Wonderful Knock-About Soft Hats**  
New chevion and stitched finish, in gray, blue gray, olive, tobacco and myrtle mixtures, were \$3.00, now.....\$1.50

Hospital in Boston has also served the purpose of attracting public attention to the needs of St. John's hospital of this city.

That Lowell will be painted, decorated and prepared on Jan. 11, 12, 13 and 14, when delegates of these crafts will meet here for their annual conference.

That employees of the street department were throwing sand on the sidewalks yesterday afternoon when sponges would have served the purpose better.

That one of the Boston and Maine billing clerks has not bought any tobacco since his recent marriage because he's saving up to buy a tobacco plantation.

That the Elks propose to make this year's annual ball even a bigger event than last year and that to insure its success, "Don" Burns, John J. Lee and some of the other hustlers who made last summer's cutting famous have been placed on the ball committee.

At noon, call for a copy of the noon edition of The Sun, on sale at all news stands.

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## From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING  
STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

## BAG OF COINS POLICE COURT

Dug Up by Workmen—  
Some Dated Before  
the Revolution

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 9.—Some granite workers preparing for a blast at a point near the road between this city and Fall River dug up a bag of coins, some of them dated before the revolution and none of them later than 1788. All were of copper and it took considerable cleaning before they could be deciphered.

Of the 11 coins there were two of the famous old Liberty pennies, dated 1797 and 1798, respectively, and there is one King George penny dated 1774. As interesting and peculiar as any of them, however, are the old fugio pennies, as they are known to collectors. These pennies have on one side a design of the sun and below it a sun dial. Under this design is the date 1787, and the legend "Mind Your Own Business." While the Latin inscription, "Fugio," is printed on the edge, giving the coin its name. On the reverse side are 13 links joined together in a circular chain, emblematic of the 13 states which originally formed the Union. The fugio coins were manufactured in Connecticut by a citizen there under a special act of congress in 1786 and 1787 and there was a limited number to the issue. They are quite uncommon now and are eagerly sought by collectors.

## THE TEACHERS ORGANIZE

WILL PRESENT DICKENS' SKETCHES  
AT COLONIAL HALL—PARTICIPANTS IN PLAY

Rehearsals are well underway for the Dickens' sketches to be presented by the Lowell Teachers' organization, at Colonial hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 10. Nearly all the parts are being taken by those who filled them when these sketches were given by the College club. The members of the cast, among whom are numbered many who have been exceptionally successful on the amateur stage, have entered with spirit and enthusiasm into the work, and an excellent presentation is assured.

Sketches have been taken from the three best known of Dickens' works, David Copperfield, Nicholas Nickleby, and Barnaby Rudge. Sketches from Dickens' Papers may be added later.

The cast is as follows:

DAVID COPPERFIELD  
Mr. Mearns ..... Lewis E. MacBryne  
Mrs. Micawber ..... Jessie Adams  
David Copperfield ..... Nelson Chase  
Betsey Trotwood ..... Mary E. Devine  
Mr. Traddles ..... Victor Carey  
Uriah Heap ..... Frank K. Stearns  
Mr. Dick ..... John Perry  
Mr. Murdstone ..... Henry H. Harris  
Miss Murdstone ..... Frances Masterson  
Agnes Wickfield ..... Catherine Tolin

NICHOLAS NICKLEBY  
Mr. Squeers ..... Carl D. Buritt  
Mrs. Squeers ..... Mrs. Leon Gace  
Mr. Snawley ..... Cornelius P. Callahan  
Smulso ..... Nelson Chase  
Nicholas Nickleby ..... Mr. W. Bennett

BARNABY RUDGE  
Mr. Varden ..... Edward T. Goward  
Mrs. Varden ..... Jessie Adams  
Dolly Varden ..... Bertha Abbott  
Joe Willett ..... Charles E. Seede  
Misses ..... Mrs. Leon Gace  
Sim Tappertit ..... Joseph G. Tynes  
Edward Chester ..... Victor Carey

GENERAL STRIKE  
FLORENTINE, Union of South Africa, Jan. 9.—The railroad strike situation suddenly became worse here today. Every man in the railroad workshops laid down his tools and walked out.

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## Stock Market Closing Prices, Jan. 9th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET			
	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	72 1/2	70 3/4	72
Am Steel Sugar	24 1/2	24	24 1/2
Am Can	31 1/2	30 3/4	31 1/2
Am Can pld	31 1/2	31	31 1/2
Am Car & Pk	31 1/2	31	31 1/2
Am Cot Oil	33 1/2	33	33 1/2
Am Locomo	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Am Sine & R	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
Am Sugar Rtn	104 1/2	103 3/4	104 1/2
Anacosta	34 1/2	34	34 1/2
Atchafalpa	94 1/2	94 1/4	94 1/2
Balt & Ohio	89 1/2	89 1/4	89 1/2
Bar Rap Tran	88 1/2	88 1/4	88 1/2
Can Pac	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/2
Cent Leather	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Cent Leather pf	95 1/2	95 1/4	95 1/2
Ches & Ohio	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/2
Col Fuel	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/2
Del & Hud	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Dis Secur Co	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/2
Eliz	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/2
Erie 1st pf	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/2
Erie 2d pf	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
Gen Elec	140 1/2	140 1/4	140 1/2
Gr North pf	125 1/2	125 1/4	125 1/2
Int Met pf	60 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/2
Kan City So	21 1/2	21 1/4	21 1/2
Lehigh Valley	150 1/2	149 3/4	150 1/2
Allegheny Pa	26 1/2	26 1/4	26 1/2
Nat Lead	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/2
N Y Central	89 1/2	89 1/4	89 1/2
Nor & West	100 1/2	100 1/4	100 1/2
North Pac	110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/2
Pennsylvania	110 1/2	110 1/4	110 1/2
People's Gas	124 1/2	124 1/4	124 1/2
Pressed Steel	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Ry & Sp Cu	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Reading	169 1/2	169 1/4	169 1/2
Rock Is	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Rock Is pf	20 1/2	20 1/4	20 1/2
St L & S W	65 1/2	65 1/4	65 1/2
St Paul	100 1/2	100 1/4	100 1/2
So Pac	92 1/2	92 1/4	92 1/2
Southern Ry	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Southern Ry pf	72 1/2	72 1/4	72 1/2
Tenn Copper	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2
Tex Pac	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/2
Third Ave	42 1/2	42 1/4	42 1/2
Union Pac	167 1/2	167 1/4	167 1/2
U S Rub	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
U S Rub pf	102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/2
U S Steel	59 1/2	59 1/4	59 1/2
U S Steel pf	104 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Utah Copper	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/2
Wash & R	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/2
Westinghouse	66 1/2	66 1/4	66 1/2
Western Un	59 1/2	59 1/4	59 1/2
Wiscon Cen	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/2

**BANK EXCHANGES**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say: Bank exchanges this week make a comparatively satisfactory exhibit, the total at the leading cities of \$1,750,000, as against \$1,520,000 for the same week last year, a gain of 1.1 per cent. New York city reports a loss of 1.3 per cent, as contrasted with 1913, which is much the best exhibit for some time.

**BOSTON MARKET**  
BOSTON, Jan. 9.—Prices were fractionally lower at the opening of the stock market today. During the forenoon trading was moderately active. The market closed irregular. Boston & Maine 49 1/2; United Shoe 52 1/2; American Agricultural Chemical 52 1/2.

**IS SERIOUSLY ILL**  
Timothy Regan Stricken  
After Returning From  
Policemen's Ball

The many friends of Timothy J. Regan will be pained to learn that he is seriously ill at the Lowell hospital, Merrimack and Pawtucket streets. Mr. Regan's home is at 155 Fletcher street. He is a blacksmith by trade and has worked in the shop occupied by Henry J. Reynolds in Cushing street, for the last 15 years.

Mr. Regan worked all day Tuesday and attended the policemen's ball at the Anacosta hall Tuesday evening. At his home after returning from the ball he was stricken with a shock and fell from the lounge on which he was sitting to the floor. Dr. T. B. Smith was summoned and he ordered Mr. Regan removed to the hospital.

Timothy J. Regan is well and favorably known throughout Lowell, and this will probably be the first notice that many of his friends will have received of his serious illness. His face and figure were familiar especially in the vicinity of Liberty square where he is known more familiarly as "Big Tim."

**HANDIT LOPEZ SEREN**  
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 9.—Ralph Lopez, the Mexican outlaw, who killed six men and was captured from several sheriffs' posses in the Utah-Apex mine at Bingham, Utah, was in Los Angeles yesterday according to information received at the sheriff's office. He is said to have been recognized on the streets by a fellow countryman who once worked in a mine with the desperado.

**LOBBY INVESTIGATION**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Plans for closing up the senate lobby investigation will be made at a meeting of the lobby committee to be held next week. Chairman Overman announced today. The committee expects to conclude the investigation by hearing representatives of the American Federation of Labor who desire to explain their legislative activities.

**HAVERHILL COUNCIL, K. OF C.**  
Hugh Molloy, superintendent of schools in this city, will be the principal speaker at the 10th anniversary of Haverhill council, Knights of Columbus, to be held next Wednesday evening. William F. Thornton of this city, district deputy of the order, will also speak.

**DEFERRED REVENUE OFFICERS**  
WALDRON, Ark., Jan. 9.—A man who for 20 years has been a revenue officer in the western country of Arkansas was found asleep in the woods near here today and arrested by a United States marshal's posse on charges of operating an illicit still.

**IN SEARCH OF HEALTH**  
Lawyer Henri Charbonneau, with an office in the Fifth street building, called today from New York for San Antonio, Tex., where he went in the interest of his health. The young lawyer has been in poor health for some time and his physician advised him to take a trip to the south. He expects to return to this city in a couple of months.

## BUYING POWER LIMITED

AT OPENING—LOW PRICES QUOTE  
ED—SPECULATION ON REDUCED  
SALE

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Lower prices were quoted at the beginning of today's trading with most noticeable heaviness in Canadian Pacific and New York Central. The buying power of the market was limited and although offerings were not heavy it was impossible to dispose of stocks except at concessions. Canadian Pacific dropped two points and New York Central, Ohio and Tennessee Copper ore. A better demand appeared at the lower level and the market turned. Some stocks made a full recovery. Texas company gained a point.

Speculation was on a reduced scale today and prices moved in a halting fashion, within a narrow range. Although the list soon recovered from the early depression the lack of recuperative power shown by a few shares prevented the general market from making much progress upward. Filling of a suit to prevent payment of the Union Pacific extra dividend tended to check speculation based upon distribution of assets of Union Pacific and other companies. Professionals who experimented on the short side encountered buying orders at a range slightly below yesterday's close, and covered. At noon the list showed a preponderance of small gains. Bonds were irregular.

Prices of stocks were more varied in the afternoon. Demand ran extensively to shares of southern railroads and of farm implement and fertilizer companies which were influenced by the favorable cotton ginning report. Tobacco securities were buoyant and there was steady absorption of the popular issues at high prices. Missouri Pacific rose two points.

The market closed easy. Stocks in which a preponderant short interest existed held up well in the final hour, but the list otherwise sold off slightly. Publication of what purported to be an outline of the anti-trust bills to be put before congress induced some realizing and short selling.

**COTTON FUTURES**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Cotton futures opened firm, Jan. 11-15; March, 12-13; May, 12-13; July, 12-13; October, 11-12. Cotton futures closed steady; January, 12-13; March, 12-13; May, 12-13; July, 12-13; October, 11-12.

**SPOT COTTON**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Spot cotton steady. Middling uplands 12-13; Gulf 12-13. Sales 2,000.

**MONEY MARKET**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Close: Mercantile paper 5-6 1/4. Sterling exchange, firm; 60 days, 183.50-183.75; for demand, 183.65. Commercial bills, 43-43 1/2.

Bar silver, 57 1/2-58. Mexican dollars 41. Government bonds firm; railroad bonds, 40-41. Call money steady 2 1/4-2 1/2 per cent; ruling rate 2 1/2; last loan 2 1/2; closing 2 1/4-2 1/2.

Time loans weaker; 60 days 3 1/4-4; 90 days, 4; six months 4 1/4.

**PUPILS DEBATE GAS EXPLOSION**  
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**DEATHS**  
MARTIN.—Mrs. Odile Martin, aged 86 years, 7 months and 21 days, died today at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Joseph Layrin, 81 Fourth avenue. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Abbin, and three sons, Samuel, Theodore and Edouard. She was a member of St. Anne's sodality of St. Joseph's parish.

## BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS  
Low Close

	Low	Close
Boston & Albany	131	131
Bos & Maine	43	43 1/2
N Y & N H	70 1/2	70 1/2
N Y & N H rts	135	135

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
Am Tel & Tel ..... 118 1/2  
New Eng Tel ..... 135 1/2

**UNLISTED SECURITIES**  
Alaska Gold ..... 21  
Am Ag Chem Com ..... 53 1/2  
Am Ag Chem pf ..... 51 1/2  
Am Woolen Co ..... 70 1/2  
American Zinc ..... 18 1/2  
Butte & Superior ..... 27 1/2  
Isle Royale ..... 15  
Miami Cop ..... 22 1/2  
Pond Creek ..... 19 1/2  
Swift & Co ..... 105 1/2  
U S Smelting ..... 40  
U S Smelting pf ..... 40 1/2  
Utah-Apex ..... 15 1/2

**BONDS**  
Am Tel & T 45 ..... 55 1/2  
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**MURDER CHARGE**  
LAWRENCE, Jan. 9.—Covado Marino pleaded not guilty to a charge of murder in police court today and the case was continued till tomorrow for a preliminary hearing. He is accused of shooting Salvatore Cachaia during a family quarrel Dec. 15.

**BANK DID NOT OPEN**  
SUPERIOR, Neb., Jan. 9.—The First National bank of Superior did not open for business today, the doors being closed at the request of the controller of the currency, according to announcement of the president, E. C. Adams. The cause of the closing of the institution is not definitely known.

Mr. N. A. Cary has gone to Florida for the winter. En route he will visit today in New York and remain with him for a few days.

## RAILROAD STRIKE FOUR DROWNED

Attempt Made to Blow  
up Train—Serious Dis-  
orders Anticipated

CAPE TOWN, Union of South Africa, Jan. 9.—The entire active citizen defense force of the Transvaal was called out by proclamation issued today after an urgent meeting of the cabinet to consider the situation brought about by the railroad strike. This action was taken on the ground that serious disorders were anticipated.

The burghers of several districts of the Orange Free State also were called to arms.

Gen. Jan Christiaan Smuts, minister of defense of the Union of South Africa, and Henry Burton, minister of railways, departed hurriedly for Johannesburg after the cabinet council had ended.

**ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP TRAIN**  
JOHANNESBURG, Union of South Africa, Jan. 9.—An attempt to blow up a train was made today but the explosives, consisting of three sticks of dynamite with a detonator attached, were discovered by a track layer as he was inspecting the line just before the arrival of a crowded train.

**FITZGERALD BLAMES NEW YORK**  
BOSTON, Jan. 9.—Mayor Fitzgerald at the bankers' hearing this afternoon declared that one of the reasons for the present unfortunate railroad situation in New England was due to the attitude of New York bankers. It would be better for all concerned if Boston was made the center of the district, he said.

Congressman M. P. Phelan of Lynn argued that it was the duty of the bill to establish one large bank and a number of smaller ones, and declared it was the purpose of the measure to prevent the establishment of a central bank, such as has been suggested in New York.

Henry B. Stearns, president of the Lynn chamber of commerce, said that an artificial clearing house for several New England industries which had been established in Albany should be abolished, and Boston made the center for such banking business.

**\$500,000 LOSS BY FIRE**  
NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 9.—Plants of the International Distilling company and the United States Industrial Alcohol company at Lake Avenue and Pine Street were practically destroyed by fire today. The loss was estimated at more than \$750,000. Officials of the companies stated that the plants were fully insured.

**FUND OF \$500,000**  
BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 9.—A fund has been raised, amounting to \$500,000 to indemnify the relatives of those who may be killed or wounded among the Irish Unionist volunteers in resisting home rule, according to an announcement today by Capt. James Craig, Unionist member for East Down, Ulster, at a gathering of Unionists here.

**PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY**  
BOSTON, Jan. 9.—Liabilities of \$117,622 and assets of \$1,350 were disclosed in the schedule accompanying the petition in bankruptcy filed today by Henry B. Brown, a manufacturer of Ipswich.

**CUBS AND NAPS TO PLAY**  
CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—The Chicago Nationals and Cleveland Americans will play an exhibition game on the latter's grounds April 12, it was announced today. The game will wind up the Cubs' training trip.

Helm Zimmerman, the Cubs' third baseman, reported today. His contract has two years to run.

**NO SUCCESSOR TO MORGAN**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The executive committee of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company met today and announced at the close of a session lasting three hours and a half that no routine business had been transacted. Chairman Elliott attended the meeting and it was understood that matters he discussed with Attorney General McInerney during Mr. Elliott's visit in Washington were considered. No announcement was made regarding the selection of a successor on the executive committee to J. P. Morgan.

**CIGARET STARTED FIRE**  
PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 9.—A slight fire in Dickinson hall, the oldest of Princeton's recitation auditoriums, while 300 students were in it, caused much excitement at noon today.

A student detected smoke and the fire was discovered in the flooring on the second landing of the building. A fire extinguisher quickly put an end to the blaze, but in the meantime an alarm of fire was turned in.

A carelessly thrown cigarette is supposed to have started the fire.

**TO INCREASE GOVERNOR'S POWER**  
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 9.—A resolution to increase the prerogatives of the governor by abolishing the act which now makes his appointments subject to the advice and consent of the senate was introduced in the legislature today by Senator Addison P. Munroe of Providence. It was sent to a committee.

Miss Thora Johnson and Miss Alys Townsend have returned to Northfield, having spent their Christmas vacation with Mrs. Alfred Swanson of 1317 Lawrence street, this city.

Captain of the Warship  
Wyoming Makes Official  
Statement

ON BOARD U. S. S. WYOMING, Via Old Point Comfort, Va., Jan. 9.—Capt. James Glennan, commander of the battleship Wyoming, gave to the Associated Press an official statement as to the rounding of the Wyoming's cutter in Hampton Roads, with a list of casualties, as follows:

Drowned:  
Ole K. Olsen, boatswain of the first class, Portsmouth, Va.  
George J. Hugg, ordinary seaman, 23 Thomas street, Newport, R. I.  
Ernest A. Bolin, seaman, Seattle, Wash.  
Theodore Brandt, ordinary seaman, Brooklyn, N. Y.

**WOUND RECOVERED**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Admiral Badger's report of the Hampton Roads accident made to the navy department early this afternoon said that the body of Ole K. Olsen, boatswain's mate, first class had been recovered and that three other men were missing, noon trading was moderately active.

**CUP DEFENDED**  
BRISTOL, R. I., Jan. 9.—The yacht now being built at the Herreshoff works by the Vanderbilt syndicate as a potential cup defender will very probably have a main mast of wood. It was learned today from an authoritative source. The mast is expected to be of the "slave" variety. The former defenders Columbia and Italciana were equipped with steel masts. The boat now being built will not be as large as the old style yachts, and this fact is given as the principal reason for the substitution of wood for steel. The mast will be made at the shops here.

At present the attention of the builders is being principally devoted to the completion of the big bronze keel plate, which was cast recently.

**TELEPHONE CASE**  
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 9.—The American Telegraph & Telephone company against which the government has instituted a dissolution suit, continued to call witnesses here today to show that two telephone systems in a community were unnecessary. All the witnesses called were local business men who said that more than one telephone system was a useless expense.

**ADVANCE IN COTTON**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—A sharp advance in the cotton market followed the publication of the census ginning report. March contracts sold up to 12 1/2, or 1 1/2 cents above the closing price of yesterday and approximately half a cent above the recent low level.

The Children of Mary sodality of St. Louis' church at its last meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Miss Eva Leguin; assistants, Misses Alida Ducharme and Yvonne Lafontaine; secretary, Miss Clara Renaud; treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Boni; counsellors, Misses Laroche, Alida Ducharme, Alice Gratton and Marie-Anne Ouellette.

**FURS**

At reductions the like of which have never been seen before. The discounts range from 20 to 33 1/3 per cent. off the regular prices.

**WEINER'S FUR STORE**  
151 Central St., LOWELL.



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Will accept a limited number of day pupils in Shorthand, Book-keeping and Typewriting. Classes to begin MONDAY, January 12th, 1914. Terms reasonable. We specialize on INDIVIDUAL INSTRUCTION. Office open for registration Saturday afternoon, 2 to 5, and Thursday and Saturday evening from 7 to 9 of this week. Call or write for terms.

## THE MAN IN THE MOON

Last Sunday's attendance among the Protestant churches was truly noteworthy. All showed marked increase in attendance while several were crowded to the doors. To see the empty pews occupied must have inspired the doubt of preachers to doubts of real eloquence which would flow from a heart filled with devout thankfulness in the most natural manner in the world. Fathers and sons went to church with their wives and sisters and all hands united in the responses and lifted their voices in all families. Hymns, give them credit. It was a great deal for further to try and sing the Sunday paper and for the clergy to sing up of the altar and for men to sing to the church and for men to sing to the church and for men to sing to the church.

## Baldness Growing Rapidly

The Use of "Hair Tonics" Containing Alcohol Is Dangerous.

Most hair tonics contain a large percentage of alcohol. The public is deceived because alcohol is soothing. Alcohol dries out the scalp, destroying the natural oil of the hair, thus causing dandruff and falling hair, and in time will turn the hair gray.

CRUDOL contains no alcohol, and is a crude petroleum product with every disagreeable feature removed. CRUDOL is fragrant, odorless, stainless, refreshing and cleanly. Puts the scalp in a healthy condition. It is nature's way of treating the hair.



## Boston Painless Dental Rooms

Gold Crowns  
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PAINLESS EXTRACTION FREE WHEN SETS ARE ORDERED  
Guaranteed Results.

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## Great Smoke Sale

There is no need of giving you a long talk—about this sale—prices will talk for themselves—A chance of a lifetime to buy nice clean merchandise at almost half price.

## MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

\$6.50 and \$7.00 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price... \$3.95  
\$7.50 and \$8.00 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price... \$4.95  
\$8.50 and \$9.00 Suits and Overcoats, and odds and ends of \$10.00 lots—we've put them all in one lot. Smoke sale price... \$5.95  
\$10.00 and \$12.50 Suits and Overcoats. Smoke sale price... \$6.95  
350 PAIRS OF MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S PANTS—Heavy weight worsted, neat patterns, all worth \$2.50. Smoke sale price while they last... \$1.65

VERY SPECIAL—We have gathered together small lots Odds and Ends of \$18 and \$20 Suits. Smoke sale price... \$10.75  
They are certainly some bargains.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY

Boys' Suits and Overcoats at almost half price. We will not carry a single garment over.

## FURNISHING GOODS

## SWEATERS

50c Sweaters. Smoke sale price... 39c  
\$1.50 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... 79c  
\$2.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... \$1.19  
\$3.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... \$1.98  
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... \$2.29  
\$5.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... \$3.39  
\$6.00 Sweaters. Smoke sale price... \$4.39

## UNDERWEAR

50c Heavy Jersey Underwear. Smoke sale price... 35c Each, 3 Pieces for \$1.00  
\$1.00 Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. Smoke sale price... 59c  
\$1.25 Heavy Jersey Ribbed Union Suits. Smoke sale price... 79c

## SHIRTS

50c Shirts. Smoke sale price... 39c  
50c and 60c Shirts. Smoke sale price... 48c  
\$1.00 Shirts. Smoke sale price... 69c  
\$1.15 and \$1.50 Shirts. Smoke sale price... 79c  
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Shirts, Arrow brand. Smoke sale price \$1.19 Each (3 for \$3.50)

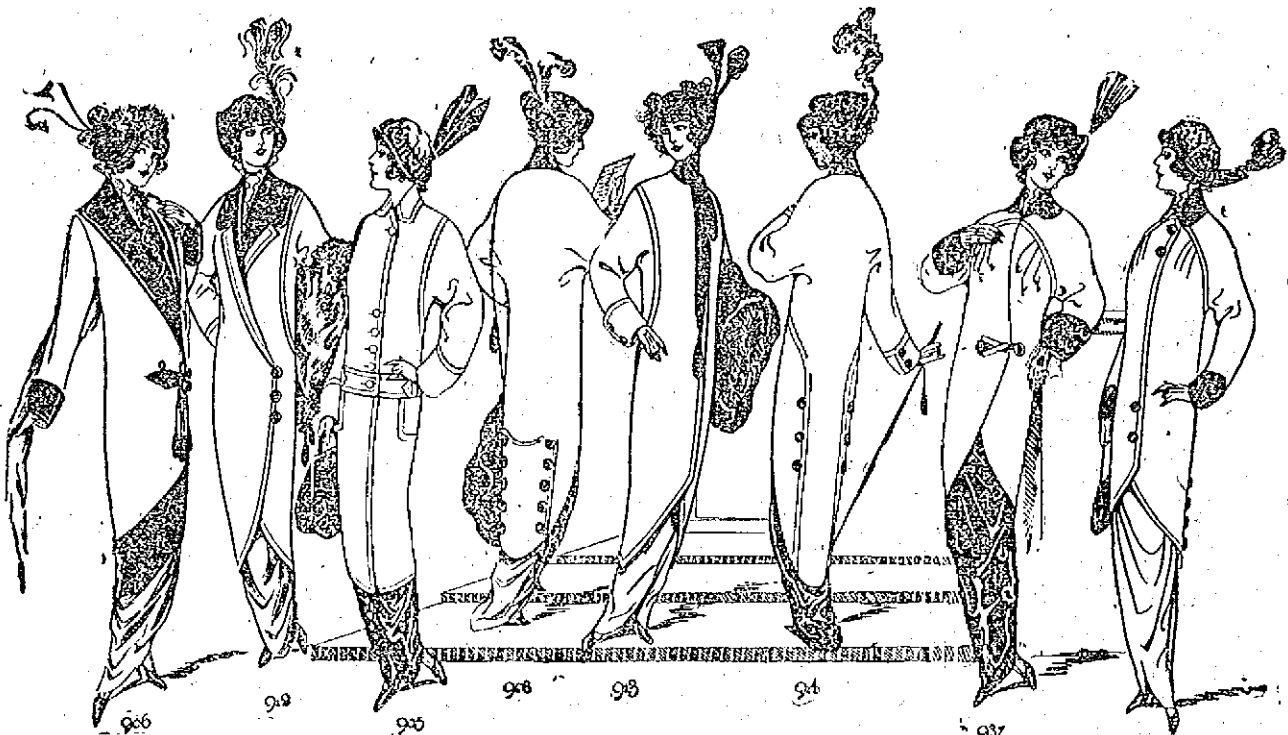
## STOCKINGS

15c Cotton Half Hose. Smoke sale price... 9c, 3 Pairs for 25c (3 Pairs for 50c)  
25c and 35c Wool Half Hose, all colors. Smoke sale price... 17c  
25 dozens of 25c and 35c Silk Ties. Smoke sale price 17c Each (3 for 50c)

## Our Great January Clearance Sale

A FEW STYLES FROM OUR

## MONSTER COAT SALE



## COATS THAT YOU CAN NEVER BUY AGAIN AT THESE PRICES

If we have good weather we will sell 400 Coats Saturday. Lot prices are \$5.00, \$8.98, \$10.00, \$12.75 and \$14.75

## ALL SUITS ARE CHEAP

Sale... \$10, \$12.75, \$14.75 and \$18.75

## FURS AND FUR COATS

Lowest January prices in our history.

## HEAVY CROWDS IN COSTUME DEPT.

Dresses—Values to \$22.50... \$5.00, \$8.98 and \$10.00

New York Cloak and Suit Co.  
CHERRY & WEBB  
12-18 JOHN ST.

The bowling game is in full blast, although no big tournaments are going on. High scores are being put upon the boards daily, yet I regret to observe that many of them are not according to Hoyle. I have heretofore deplored the fact that many excellent bowlers violate the foul-line with impunity, and I am obliged to repeat the complaint. Conscientious observers of the line seem to be growing less and less in number. Pretty soon they'll be sliding half-way down the alley and they might as well go the whole distance and kick the pins down. The score of a bowler who has no regard for the line is a punk score; and if he is any kind of a sport at all he should be ashamed of himself and wake up. To take the daily purse under such conditions is a great deal like larceny. But everybody's doing it, while the proprietors of the bowling stand for it. For heaven's sake, points, keep behind the line! Don't bounce one of the most gentlemanly sports going! Somebody has told me that Dan Donahoe takes exceptions to the statement made in this paper a few weeks ago that the "Man in the Moon" beat him three straight games at ducks once upon a time, was back in our younger days, and that Dan further declared that nobody ever had accomplished that remarkable feat. Well, I suppose I would have difficulty in proving the truth of my statement, for John B. Swift is dead and Tom Golden probably could not remember. But I recall the incident very vividly, for Dan was one of the very few I could most always beat. Yes, Dan usually settled, as Salmagundi used to say, "I take off my hat to Dan's old-time baseball prowess, his one time skill with the cue and his later accomplishment as a skilled golfer, but at bowling I feel sure that I can still put it all

over him and my shoulders are bent with the weight of wealth and years.

The new city government has sober obligations enough to take up all its time and call into use the best abilities it is capable of. We should be pleased to see it refrain from indulging in petty politics, and to rise above any unworthy disposition to use its position and power to work out some real or fancied private grudge. With a system of government on trial it behooves gentlemen in charge of affairs to put the best foot forward and to demonstrate the wisdom of the voters whose decision has conferred so much tem-

porary responsibility and power upon them. I think the sense of the people doesn't consider this or that man's personal prestige or power, but that they do consider good government fairly, decently and capably administered.

## THE MAN IN THE MOON.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of Court Scandia, 182, Foresters of America held last night Dr. J. B. Albert Johanson was elected court physician for the members in this city and Dr. F. E. Varney for those in Chelmsford and vicinity. Reports from the different committees were read and approved by the members and the recently elected officers were installed by Deputy John Barrett. Refreshments were served.

## Stationary Firemen

The International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen has installed the following officers: President, John T. Hendricks; Vice President, Patrick Cummings; Financial Secretary, Thomas J. McGee; Recording and corresponding secretary-treasurer, John W. Downing; Trustee, John P. Dean; Sergeant-at-arms, Michael Kline; delegates to the Grand and Labor Council, Donaldrick, Michael, Patrick, Cummings, John F. Hendricks, Thomas J. McGee, John W. Downing and Patrick Cummings. The next meeting of the lo-

cal will be held on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 25, at which the auditors will make a report of the financial standing of the local.

## Court General Shields

Court General Shields, 16, Foresters of America, met in regular session last night and the following officers were installed: C. R. Hugh Flinnery; S. C. R. John Hanley; Treasurer, John L. McDougall; F. S. James H. Cox; R. S. William C. Bowler; S. W. Patrick; Clerk; J. W. John Duffley; S. B. Owen; Morris; J. B. J. E. Lang; trustee, Patrick Roarke; Lecturer, John G. McNeill; physician, Dr. William M. Collins; D. G. C. R. Brother Barrett; Albert McDougall, herald.

## To Hold Banquet

In the course of the regular meeting of Court Gen. Dimon, 217, F. of A., which was held last night in Grafton hall, it was decided to hold a banquet for the members and their friends, the event to be held in the near future. The meeting was largely attended and Chief Ranger M. J. Monahan occupied the chair. The recently elected officers were installed, the ceremony being presided over by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Albert McDougall, assisted by Deputy Narcisse Gadhola. Interesting remarks were delivered by Michael J. Monahan, Stephen D. Breen, John Mulligan, Michael J. Boyle and John J. Fitzpatrick.

brothers, John Barrett, Albert McDougall and Narcisse Gadhola.

The committee appointed to look after arrangements for the banquet consists of the following: Michael J. Monahan, chairman; John J. Mahoney, secretary; Stephen D. Breen, treasurer; Peter Quinn, Patrick Owens, Joseph A. Loran, John Mulligan, Michael Daly, Edward McKeever, Eugene Boulger, Michael J. Boyle and John J. Fitzpatrick.

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It is impossible in the limited space of our store to carry over goods from one season to another. It has therefore become our policy, each season, at a time when there are several months during which the goods will be seasonable, to have a CLEARANCE SALE OF HATS AND MILLINERY that means a saving on high class millinery. Read the prices that follow and act in your own interest when THIS SALE OPENS TODAY.

\$3 Black Silk Velvet Hats. All new shapes... 49c  
\$3 and \$4 Plush Hats. All colors. Choice... \$1.25  
\$2 and \$3 French Felt Hats. Newest shapes and colors. Choice 49c  
\$5 White, Pink and Light Blue Beaver Hats... \$1.49

TRIMMED HATS REDUCED TO HALF ORIGINAL PRICE

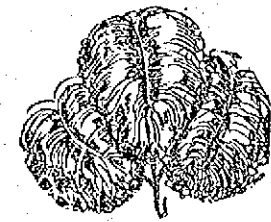
\$1 Ostrich Feathers, black and colors... \$1.98  
\$6 Ostrich Feathers, black and colors... \$3.98

## GREAT BARGAINS IN RIBBONS

25c Ribbon, all colors... 10c  
35c Ribbon, all colors... 19c

The above represent the reductions that are being made through the store.

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TWO FOUR-ROOM FLATS TO LET near Westford st. Apply 65 Dover st. Tel. 3367-11.

**THREE-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET** between Westford and Middlesex sts. in good condition. Address P. F. Fitch, 23 Howard st.

**NICELY FURNISHED STEAM HEATED** rooms to let at 35 White st.

**SUNNY EIGHT-ROOM TENEMENT TO LET** after Jan. 15, with modern improvements. Inquire at 35 White st.

**GEO. E. BROWN, 73 CHESTNUT ST.** has one of his very best 4-room, light, warm, pleasant tenements to let, facing on street and toilet on floor; see it now.

**TENEMENTS FIVE ROOMS EACH** to let; just renovated; open plumbing; large toilet room; bathtub; electric; wood piazzas and cellar; \$2.50 per week; five minutes walk to two lines of electric or steam cars. Greenwood Bros., 573 Lawrence st., or tel. 3615-32.

**FIVE ROOMS, BATH AND PANTRY** to let; hot water, 42 Barclay st.; \$11.50 per month. Inquire Schultz Furniture Co., 315 and 325 Middlesex st.

**FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET**; pantry and bath, 142 Jewett st. Apply Griffiths, Florist, 31 Bridge st.

**STEAM HEATED FURNISHED** rooms to let; bath on same floor; use of telephone. 181 East Merrimack st.

**ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER** shop or business office, to let, on second floor of the Harrington building, 53 Central st.

**MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 233** Wentworth avenue, to let. Chas. A. Eveleigh, Lowell 3411.

**TO LET**  
**FEBRUARY 1ST**  
Large store, modern, plate glass; corner Merrimack and Suffolk sts., formerly occupied by Russell Grocery Co. Stand 53 years old. McCaskey register and other fixtures for sale. Inquire Cyrus W. Russell, tel. 3276.

**CHIN LEE & CO.**  
Chinese and American Restaurant  
Dining room reserved for ladies, for private parties. This restaurant is open from 11:30 a. m. to 10 p. m., including Sunday. 117 Merrimack st., near John st. Telephone 1822.

**Storage For Furniture**  
Separate room \$1 per month for regular two-horse load. Pianos 50c. The dryest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. O. P. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st.

**TO LET**  
FIVE ROOM FLAT TO LET AT 108 Chapel st.; rent reasonable. Apply Mr. Kelley, 108 Chapel st.

**TWO TENEMENTS OF FIVE ROOMS** each, to let at 66 and 68 Chambers st. Rent reasonable. Apply at 74 Chambers st.

**FLAT TO LET AT 567 BRIDGE ST.** in good repair; 7 minutes walk from Merrimack st.

**ROOMS TO LET, \$1 PER WEEK** and up. Mrs. McMillan, 18 Hurd st.

**FIVE ROOM TENEMENT TO LET** at 18 Coledge st., near Lawrence st.; nicely painted and papered inside and out; rent \$1.50 a week. Inquire on premises.

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**SPECIAL NOTICES**  
**NOONEN'S ROMAN SECRET.** The Blush of Youth, it imparts an elegant color and freshness to the cheeks and lips. Dows, Storeys, Lowell Pharmacy, 26c.

**CARD READING—PAST, PRESENT** and future; 10c and 25c. Madame Cory, 379 Bridge st., cor. Third st., room 1.

**TITH HOUR ASBESTOS STOVE** lining for lining or repairing linings of ranges, furnaces and stoves, for sale at all stove dealers, 15 and 25 cent boxes.

**LOUIS FOX, DEALER IN SECOND** hand furniture, all kinds bought, sold and exchanged. 185 Middlesex st.

**CASH PAID FOR SECOND HAND** furniture of all kinds, large or small lots. T. F. Muldoon, 505 Central st.

**STOVE REPAIRS, LINES, GRATES,** centers and other parts for all stoves and ranges carried in stock; work done at lowest prices. Riving, name and size of stove, or telephone 4170. Quinn Furniture Co., 180 Middlesex st.

**PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND** repaired. Tuning \$1. J. Kershaw, 190 Cumberland road. Tel. 441.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

**LOST AND FOUND**  
POCKETBOOK FOUND CONTAINING small sum of money. Owner can recover by paying for this ad. Apply 23 Cedar st.

**FOR ROBE LOST THURSDAY NIGHT** in Hampden st. Reward for return to 35 Lakeview ave.

**GOLD WATCH AND FOB LOST.** FOB was engraved R. M. R. and the watch was engraved with an old English R. Finder please return to 47 Short st. and receive reward.

**SMALL DIAMOND ORNAMENT LOST** from the back of a watch. Reward at Room 29, Central Hotel.

**POCKETBOOK CONTAINING MONEY** and other valuables lost in or near Nelson's dept. store. Return to address on trip book and receive reward.

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**FOR SALE**  
AS I HAVE NOT WORK FOR ALL of my horses I must sell them, one weighs 1200, 7 years old, dapple gray mare, work single or double \$75, not fleshy; one brown horse 1100, sound, 3 years old, \$60; one horse 1075, sound, good farm chunk, could work in any kind of sleighing; 12 years old, \$35; and driving horse, 1950, sound, kind, used as my family horse, I will give my carriage, harness and all \$30; I have some nice pigs and nice brooding sows, weigh from 60 to 175 each. Call Moss's Farm, Tel. Con. North Webster, near old car barn.

**UPRIGHT PIANO FOR SALE.** USED very little; fine condition; must be sold for cash. Will sell at bargain. 338 Fairview st.

**NEW DOUBLE RUNNER, THREE** scatted farm sleds, incubators, brooders, R. I. R. pullets; also parlor heating stove and other furniture for sale. J. W. French, Lowell st., Wilmington, Phone 89-4.

**NEW PRESSURE TANK, 250 GALLONS** and force pump complete, for sale; will sell cheap; call or telephone. W. T. Stewart, 293 Walker st. Tel. 52.

**SHINERS FOR SALE, \$100 A HUNDRED** (Goulding) Gorham st., Desmarais, 777 Lakeview ave.; Myers, Bridge and Paige sts.

**TWO HORSES, FOUR WAGONS, TWO** sleighs, for sale. Cyrus W. Russell, formerly of Russell Grocery Co., 315 Merrimack st.

**FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN**  
12 room lodging house, modern, well located and always filled with a good class of roomers. North \$700. Will sell for \$550.  
Stylish sleigh, good as new in every respect, for only \$25.  
Regalia in real estate and business opportunities.  
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Five of our weavers' pay for the week ending Jan. 3 was \$22.15, \$18.15, \$17.02, \$15.60, \$18.10. Lowell Textile Co., North Chelmsford.

**Cap Spinners and Ring** Twisters wanted at once. Apply Brookside Worsted Mills, Brookside, Mass.

**Experienced Loopers**  
Steady Work  
Shaw Stocking Co.

**SITUATIONS WANTED**  
HOUSEWORK WANTED BY CAPABLE WOMAN, with good references. Good cook and laundress. Apply Ware st.

**HELP WANTED**  
LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED. No canvassing or soliciting required. Salary income assured. Address National Co-operative Realty Co., P. 1302, Marden bldg., Washington, D. C.

**SALESMAN WANTED BY LARGE** manufacturing concern, with a large demand for known products; to reside in Lowell. Selling experience not necessary but must have given absolute satisfaction to previous employers. Address E. G. J. 2 Hartford st., Boston, Mass.

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**PAPER NOVELS WANTED.** Eagle, Magnet and Model series, etc. Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

**GOVERNMENT JOBS OPEN TO MEN** and women. Big pay. Write for list of positions now available. Franklin Institute, Dept. 164 J, Rochester, N. Y.

**SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL** known manufacturer to handle large grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box M, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

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DEPUTIES AND COLLECTORS wanted by large insurance organization. Sick benefit, \$50 up monthly, spare time. Large, permanent subsequent commission. International 81 East 187th st., New York.

**AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE** to sell penny gift coupon to stores. Big demand. Sample box to start, 10c. Austin Co., Cranston, R. I.

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Borrow \$30.00 Pay Back \$33.00.  
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**LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY**  
Preparing for Great Midwinter Event on January 27—The Program Prepared

The Lowell Choral Society has had in preparation for its mid-winter concert, which occurs on Tuesday, January 27, two noteworthy cantatas. One is an old friend, viz: "Fair Ellen" by Max Bruch, which is the story in song of the siege of Lucknow. The other is a new work by the genius S. Cole, titled "The Tale of Old Japan," and is full of the beauties and dramatic effects which characterize his compositions set to the Hwa-tai story by Longfellow. The composition is of almost local interest, because it was inspired by the beauties of a June day on an automobile drive in the southwestern part of Massachusetts.

As to the talent which will add the society, it may be said that it has been the aim of the executive committee to present at each successive concert a group of vocalists equal in excellence to any which may have appeared at a previous season. For this concert there has been secured Miss Grace Kerna, one of the leading sopranos in New York, and has appeared as soloist with the Worcester Oratorio Society, the Handel and Haydn society, and many other choral societies of recognized standing. She is described as a singer with a phenomenal voice power, and great cultivation, and "possesses a lyre voice of great brilliancy and sweetness, adapted to which is a rare ability to interpret."

Miss B. B. Child of Boston is the contralto, and is known to music loving people of the city. She has an exceptionally pure contralto voice, rich in quality, "is an acknowledged artist," with a "wonderful range and resonance of tone which gives delight to her hearers."

Arthur Hackett, tenor, is favorably known throughout New England, and has appeared in Lowell before. The press in various parts of the country praises his fine musicianship, and interpretive ability. He appeared at the McDowell Peterboro festival last August and with Mr. Verrenrath sang "A Tale of Old Japan" and other works. Retired Verrenrath of New York, the baritone, needs no introduction to Lowell people. His previous appearance with the Choral Society scored him a success, and his singing at the Canobie Lake festival last September won hearty approval. Last summer he was with Frank LaFarge, the eminent pianist and composer, on an European tour of six weeks, and the entire series of recitals given was one continuous triumph. His reappearance here with the Choral Society will be hailed with delight.

The work of the chorus will be better than ever, and the concert program between the two cantatas will be a rare treat to concert goers.

The exchange tickets are now for sale by members of the society.

**LEGAL NOTICES**  
**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Myra L. Sanford, also called Elmira E. Sanford, Mira Sanford and formerly called Perkins, late of Chelmsford, ss. said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Luther Sanford, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Lowell Herald, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this ninth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen. F. M. ESTY, Asst. Register.

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.** Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas H. Lawler, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for probate by Frank A. Lawler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

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**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**  
FOUR TENEMENT HOUSE FOR sale near Lawrence mills, churches, schools; will be sold for a small amount down as owner lives in another part of city; properly located; 18 Coledge st. Inquire 122 Central st.

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BOARDERS WANTED AT HOME Dining room, 48 Kirk st., \$2.75 for ladies, \$3.00 for men. Steam heated rooms with bath.

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**BANK HEARING**  
Resumed Before Sec. McAdoo and Sec. Houston in Boston  
BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Secretaries McAdoo and Houston, constituting the special committee under the new federal reserve banking system, gave New England bankers a two hours session today in which to complete the presentation of their case in favor of a regional banking district under the new currency act and to offer suggestions as to its location.  
The preponderance of evidence brought out at yesterday's session favored the establishment of such an institution in Boston. A majority of the bankers advocated the inclusion of all six New England states in the territory, although a few bankers from southwestern Connecticut declared their financial allegiance to New York.  
Western Massachusetts and Vermont were expected to tell today whether they included in their sections desired to be included in the Boston or the New York district.

**STEAMSHIP IS SINKING**  
NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 10.—In response to wireless call reporting "Steamer Comet sinking off South Shoals," the Acushnet left New Bedford for her assistance.

## NEW HAVEN'S BONDS VOID

**Supreme Court Annuls Decision Which Authorized Issuance of \$67,000,000 Bond**

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The \$67,000,000 convertible bond issue recently authorized by the Massachusetts Public Service commission, on which the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad had relied to place its finances on a permanent basis, was yesterday afternoon declared illegal, and the public service commission's order annulling by the supreme court of Massachusetts.

The supreme court's decision is a victory for Morgan G. Bulkeley, former governor of Connecticut, on whose appeal the question came before the court, and an indorsement of the position taken by George W. Anderson, of the public service commission in his minority report.

One effect of the decision is to make null and void the New Haven "rights" which have been selling in the market at about 14, and which have been traded into a total of hundreds of thousands of dollars. All transactions in the sale of the bonds themselves are also rendered null and void, they having been conducted "when, as and if issued." These transactions have gone up into the millions. Only yesterday at the close of the market, the bonds were selling strong at 103 1/2.

When the bond issue first came before the public service commission last September, there were predictions freely made that the failure of the board to ratify the issue would force the New Haven into bankruptcy. One Boston banker told the commission that a panic would follow the rejection of the bond issue. When it became evident that the issue, though passed by the commission by a 4 to 1 vote, was in danger of being delayed, if not rejected, by the supreme court, the New Haven directors provided for temporary financing to meet the \$40,000,000 of short term notes which were soon due by negotiating a loan with J. P. Morgan & Co. for six months. In this way the immediate emergency was put off.

It was said yesterday that the action of the supreme court left two courses of action open to the New Haven. One is to appeal to the legislature to change the financial sections of the railroad act of 1913 so as to allow the public service commission to authorize convertible bonds. In connection with this possibility it is pointed out that the supreme court in its decision yesterday took pains to state specifically that they do not hold that convertible issues in general are illegal and that they do not deny that they may be a highly desirable form of security, but that under the statute they cannot be issued.

"This," says the court, "is a matter rather for legislative than judicial consideration." Should this course be adopted by the New Haven, a vigorous fight at the state house is predicted. Commissioner Anderson, in discussing the court's decision last night, said he could not conceive of the legislature adopting any legislation which would make such a law legal.

The other alternative, which was pointed out last night by Chairman Frederick J. Macleod of the public service commission, is to call a new special meeting of the stockholders, authorize a new bond issue without the convertible feature which was responsible for the present issue's failure, and apply once more to the public service commission.

In its opinion yesterday, the supreme court denied the contention made by the New Haven attorneys in argument before the court, that the commission had authority to pass on only the engineering and business proposition of whether the amount of the bond issue was proper for the purpose set forth, and that the question of whether the issue as a whole was or was not legal was not a question for the commission. The court points out that the commission is a quasi-judicial body and that it must approve the issue as well as the amount.

The St. Patrick's day convention, an annual occurrence on the second Sunday of January, will convene in A. O. U. hall tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock for the purpose of devising some suitable plan for the observance of March 17th. Invitations have been extended to societies in Lowell, North Billerica, North Chelmsford and Collinsville, and the secretary stated today that in his opinion it will be the largest meeting yet held for this purpose.

As to the plan of observance on March 17th, that the convention may evolve tomorrow, it is mere conjecture. One does not hear much talk in favor of a parade, chiefly because one was held last year, yet at the time it was suggested last year few thought it feasible. Plans were pushed forward, however, and one of the greatest parades in the history of the city was the result. If a parade is not voted tomorrow, a banquet may be, though the strongest objection to this plan is the inability to accommodate all who would care to attend. All banquet halls in the city are far too small to seat the members of the various societies represented in the convention, to say nothing of the general public. Hence, the banquet proposition seems inadvisable. The convention may decide to pass the day this year without any general observance.

Mr. James J. McMahon, chairman of the 1913 convention, will preside at the meeting tomorrow, and in and the secretary of the 1913 convention will be the officers in charge until their successors are appointed and the organization made permanent.

The Thompson Hardware Co. has marked down its entire stock of chafing dishes and casseroles 25 per cent. Some splendid patterns to select from.

**NORTH SAILORS FOR MEXICO**  
VALLEJO, Cal., Jan. 10.—The United States cruiser New Orleans en route to Mare Island via San Francisco. The ship's band will take large drafts of men from California to Mexican waters when she sails early next week, according to information received today. The men are to be distributed among the United States vessels in the south on which there is not a full quota of crews.

## REGISTER HUMAN BEINGS

**Dr. Kellogg Advocates Registry for Purpose of Developing Race of Human Thoroughbreds**

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Jan. 10.—Eugenics registry office for the purpose of developing a race of human thoroughbreds, was one of the suggestions of Dr. J. K. Kellogg of Battle Creek, speaking today at the national conference of race betterment.

"It only takes four generations to make a thoroughbred when the principles of eugenics have their chance to operate," said Dr. Kellogg. "We have registers for horses, cattle, sheep, pigs and even cats and dogs. If a lady wishes to establish the standing of her pet poodle she can do so by appealing to an official record and the poodle canine may lift its head above its fellows as a born aristocrat; but nowhere on earth as far as I know is there to be found a registry for human beings."

"The hope is entertained by the members of this conference that one of the results of the meeting may be the establishment of such a registry. Indeed, it seems the time has fully come when a eugenics registry office should be established in which may be recorded the names of infants who are born under eugenic conditions and perhaps also the names of persons who in person and pedigree are able to measure up to eugenic standards."

Dr. Kellogg urged the establishment of schools where students in municipal problems may receive the proper education, where they can fit themselves for tasks which are just as distinct from other walks of life, and just as beneficial to the race as are many of those for which men fit themselves now in colleges.

Dr. Kellogg referred to the orderliness of Germany, which is immediately impressed on the traveling American who, in many instances, comes from a place where, except there be police control, there is very little evidence of good order maintained. In Germany the people have so long been trained to the keeping of order, even in minor affairs, that now they rejoice in it. It is not an oppression to them.

**LARGE BANKS IN SYSTEM**  
Institutions of \$20,000,000 Resources Accept the New Currency Law—List Made Public Last Night

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Names of some of the largest national banks which have noted their intention to accept the new currency law were made public last night by the treasury department. The list embraces institutions which have total resources of \$20,000,000 or more. Resources of the banks







## CITY FINANCES DISCUSSED

BLOOD STAINED AXE  
FOUND NEAR BODY

Woman Slain on Barge at New Bedford—Captain Held Without Bail on Charge of Murder

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 10.—Charles Matroni, captain of the barge Snipe, was held without bail today for a hearing Jan. 21 on the charge of murdering Annie Welsh last night. Louis Therrien, who called the attention of the police to the crime, was held as a material witness.

According to the police, Matroni and

the Welsh woman met in the back room of a saloon last night. The woman later accompanying the captain to the Snipe.

When the police boarded the barge they found the woman's body dismembered. Matroni's clothing was saturated with blood and a blood-stained axe was found in the cabin.

## DROPPED DEAD

Noah R. Swain Died on Branch Street This Afternoon

Noah R. Swain, of 36 Grove street, dropped dead early this afternoon in the barber shop at 57 Branch street. The deceased had just stepped into the shop and taken a seat when he fell forward and was dead before the ambulance could be summoned to take him to the hospital. Mr. Swain was 75 years of age and had been in delicate health for some time past.

## TO INSTALL OFFICERS

The installation of officers of the Lowell Musicians' association will be held in the rooms of the organization in Central street tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. The members of the municipal council as well as other prominent citizens have been invited to attend.

At the close of the installation a social hour will be spent and speeches and an entertainment program will be provided for by the entertainment committee which is headed by James Buckley. A luncheon will also be served.

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MAYOR MURPHY SAYS  
THE CITY DEFAULTED

On \$100,000 Note — Commissioner Brown Says No—Ald. Morse Starts Cleaning Up Business Streets—The Cook Wells to Close

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy will call a special meeting of the municipal council for Monday for the purpose of arriving at something definite relative to the handling of the temporary loan. "The \$100,000 note, the renewal of which was voted by the council for 1915," said the mayor, "was advertised yesterday in the Boston News Bureau by the First National bank of Boston, and, as I understand it, there were no takers. Brokers and others haven't very much use for short term notes. This note has gone by default, for a note of this kind could not be protected, and we have got to make good in some way. There were but \$47,000 in the treasury on Jan. 1. City Solicitor Hennessy and City Treasurer Stiles have gone to Boston today to see what they can do about it."

Asked if he was still in favor of increasing the tax limit, the mayor stated that he was in favor of it because it was absolutely necessary that more money should be raised. "I am also in favor of the legislature's refusal to raise the tax limit in order that we may wipe away a portion of this temporary loan."

"The city council went to the legislature a year or two ago and asked for relief in this way, but the legislature refused to act. It was stated at the time that the legislature's refusal was due to the fact that representatives from here were not in sympathy with the council. I am going to arrange for a conference with our local representatives with the purpose in view of having them work in harmony with the municipal council. I am satisfied that the city of Lowell cannot get along on the \$12 tax limit. It is necessary to increase it in order to raise money for departmental expenses and it is just as necessary that some arrangement should be made to relieve the temporary loan situation."

Brown Blames the Mayor  
In the very wake of the interview given by Mayor Murphy came a message from Commissioner Brown, stating that the \$100,000 could have been paid in cash out of the general treasury if the mayor had not refused to sign the draft. "The auditor," said Mr. Brown, "made out a draft and signed it on Dec. 31, for \$100,000, and the draft was sent to the city treasurer. It was later sent to the mayor for his signature, and if he had attached his signature the money could have been paid out of the city treasury, but the mayor refused to attach his signature. There is over \$113,000 in cash in the general treasury at the present time. As to the city being defaulted in the sum of \$100,000, I have my doubts. I do know that no notice of any such thing has come to this office and no bids on the note have been received here."

Asked how he figured money enough in the general treasury to pay the \$100,000 temporary loan, Mr. Brown said: "There is \$42,000 and over available for the temporary loan. On top of this you have \$21,000 hospital money and \$50,000 for other purposes and which will not be used for some time to come."

"Bills have already been charged off payable the fifteenth of the month; therefore the only need for money will be upon the pay rolls, January 16, 23 and 30."

Receipts and taxes will be coming in that will take care of this and a temporary loan order in anticipation of taxes in 1914 will be passed, therefore I believe this note should not be allowed to go by default, but be paid out of cash."

Will Reduce Temporary Loan  
Commissioner Brown didn't stop at that. He swears that he will reduce the temporary loan from \$600,000 to \$500,000. He says there is no provision in law for the renewal of the \$500,000 note which comes due July 1, except that it be taken out of the tax levy and that, he avers, would be out of the question.

"There are outstanding taxes of over \$500,000," he said, "to offset the temporary loan but there is no provision in law that allows such use. The 1912 tax runs till September this year and the 1913 tax till Sept. 1915."

The fact that Lowell has \$500,000 in outstanding taxes does not mean that the city is losing money. On the contrary the city is making at least 2 per cent. on the \$500,000. We get 6 per cent. and pay 4, and sometimes less."

figure that the city is the gainer in revenue receipts of over \$25,000 a year and this amount is appropriated to departments."

"The bureau of statistics, favors relief to the extent that cities may have a book surplus and beginning 1915 taxes are only allowed to run one year, with two rates a year."

"This \$100,000 note that will be reduced, was part of the \$600,000 that became due, July, 1913. I drafted an order, having in mind the reduction that was made in 1909, \$500,000 for one year, the other \$100,000 Nov. 1. The municipal council changed this from Nov. 1 to Dec. 31. I had in mind when I made this date Nov. 1, that we might see our way clear to reduce it. The note came due the latter part of the month of December and what I had in view at the time was not to hamper the government for 1914."

"There was no way to reduce this note in December, because we had not balanced the books, and there was no way of knowing just how we stood as to available cash. We could not force collection of available taxes, so the only way out of the difficulty would be to borrow this note within the debt limit for a period of ten years, which would have added one dollar to the tax rate, no matter what that tax rate might be. I felt that it would be too much of a burden on the taxpayers and the government for 1914."

"I felt it would be possible to reduce the debt and help the situation by setting aside available receipts and by applying the taxes of 1913. I felt this was for the interest of the government of 1914 and that the citizens would approve of my course, realizing that I acted in good faith."

Looking for Relief  
Mr. Brown spoke of a bill which he had drafted by the city solicitor and which will be presented at a meeting of the municipal council on Tuesday. He hopes it will be advanced in the legislature for action, in which it is asked that Lowell be allowed to take care of the \$500,000 temporary loan. The bill has the sanction of the bureau of statistics. "I want the legislature," he said, "to refund a portion of the debt and renew the smaller portion of it. The amount we shall ask to have refunded is \$300,000 and the remainder that we shall ask to have renewed is \$200,000."

Cleaning the Streets  
Charles Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, got busy on the streets this morning. "We have teams and men working in the heart of the city," said Charlie, "and we ought to have the business section cleared early in the afternoon. It was almost impossible for teams and automobiles to get to the curbstone and, besides, this was a good day to tackle it. It was having a bit this forenoon and if it should snow between now and Monday it would make pretty hard picking."

Mr. Morse said that he would spend tomorrow afternoon in his office in order to prepare a proper working schedule. He says he is aware of the fact that will have to run the department on considerably less than was allowed last year and he says he wants to know just where he is at. He said that the men employed on streets last week will not be employed next week. "I have hundreds of men applying for work," he said, "and I want to give them all a fair show. There is some sewer work going on now, but we will have that cleaned up in time."

Mr. Donnelly was allowed \$157,200.16 for street maintenance last year and I know that is more than can be allowed this year. The loans for streets and sewers last year amounted to \$241,000. I hope I will get as much on loans but I doubt it. I take it that both the street department and land and buildings department will have to stand a good cut this year."

Asked if he was in favor of increasing the tax limit to \$12, Mr. Morse answered in the affirmative.

Alderman Brown's Statement  
Commissioner Brown came out a few days ago with the statement that there wasn't any necessity of the city crying poverty; that there would be money enough to run all departments. In reply to this statement Mayor Murphy said: "Mr. Brown is commissioner of finance and I hope he will be able to give us all the money we want."

To this Mr. Brown comes across with the following:

"I am very sorry and regret that I am unable to furnish all the money

necessary to fulfill campaign promises of Mr. Murphy and others in filling lucrative positions and also to give plenty of freedom and swing for the mayor to run his department in luxury. The test of fitness is to give results. For Mr. Murphy's benefit, I will inform him that the municipal council votes appropriations and it takes four votes to issue loans for permanent improvements."

"I am only one in five but I am going to try to have the provisions of the charter lived up to in the administration of the police and license departments, which should be divorced."

Will Close Cook Wells  
Commissioner Carmichael stated today that the Cook wells which have been running since early last spring would be closed tomorrow and would remain closed until next spring unless the boulevard wells should fail in producing the necessary supply. There was a time when the state board of health said it was not safe to run the Cook wells more than ten or twelve weeks at a time because of the action of the water on lead pipe, but because of the failure of the boulevard wells to supply the necessary amount and also because of the condition of the water from those wells it was found necessary to employ the Cook wells continuously. It is hoped, however, that no

harm has resulted from the long continued use of these wells.

At Work on Westford Street  
About 150 water department men are engaged in the completion of work in Westford street having to do with the laying of a main there. Their work will end at School street. Another gang is employed in Adams street and as soon as the pipe they are working on has been brought down to Liberty square, they, too, will have finished.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE  
FROM MIDDLESEX STREET STATION TO TAKE EFFECT MONDAY — AN IMPROVEMENT NEEDED

According to the new time table of the Boston & Maine railroad which will go into effect Monday, Jan. 12, the trains for Boston on the Southern division will leave Lowell at 1.45, 2.30, 3.59 and 4.20 p. m.

By this arrangement there is no train on this division between 2.30 and 3.53 p. m. a space of one hour and 23 minutes. It seems that the Boston & Maine management might improve the local service by lessening the long interval between these two trains.

The changes in the schedule are as follows:

Trains leaving Lowell for Boston at 2.34 p. m., 4.39 p. m. and 7.13 p. m. will begin Monday leave here at 2.30 p. m., 4.29 p. m. and 7.11 p. m. respectively. The train that previously left Boston for Lowell at 7.23 a. m. will leave the Hub at 7.14 a. m. and reach this city at 8.21. One change has been made on the Portland division. The train which now leaves Boston for this city at 9.35 p. m. via Lowell Junction will leave Boston at 9.59 p. m. and reach here at 11.09 p. m. The train leaving Lawrence at 10.10 p. m. for Lowell will leave at 10.20 p. m. and arrive here at 11.02.

The matter of discontinuing the 12.05 a. m. train from Boston known as the late theatre train is now before the public service commission and what action will be taken is not yet known.

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SPLENDID HEALTH RECORD

FOR PAST YEAR IN LOWELL

After all our trials and tribulations for the last year, alleged and otherwise, it is the least bit gratifying to learn that the city's death rate for the year was the lowest in 63 years.

This information was obtained this morning at the office of the board of health and there is no doubt as to the authenticity of the figures. The fact that the death rate was exceptionally low was gleaned not only from

the annual reports of the board of health but also from the big chart that has been doing business since 1836, when Lowell was incorporated as a city.

The total number of deaths in 1913 was 1749 and the death rate was 16.46. The total number of deaths in 1912 was 1891 and the death rate was 17.75.

In order to find as low a death rate as last year's it was necessary to go

back at the big chart to 1850. The population at that time was 33,383 and the death rate was 14.73. In 1858 the population was 37,119 and the death rate was 16.36. The nearest approach in recent years to the death rate for last year was in 1904; when the rate was 16.61.

The low rate for 1913 is rarely equalled in any city or town in the state.

## Second Edition

FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

POLICE OFFICER PAGE  
ON FORCE 45 YEARS

City Hall Policeman Showered With Congratulations—Tells of His Experiences

Alonzo J. Page, the genial custodian of the peace at city hall, rounded out 45 years of continuous service in the police department of Lowell, yesterday. Mr. Page is exceptionally well preserved and is as strong and hearty today as he was 20 years ago.

He joined the Lowell police force when Hickford Lang was chief, and, as he said today in conversation with The Sun reporter, he has seen a good many mayors, chiefs and other superior officers come and go.

Mr. Page has been at city hall for

more than five years having succeeded the late Thomas Sanborn, who, by the way, had been a policeman in this city for 50 years.

Mr. Page's first beat was on Centralville Heights and he assured the writer today that there were very few houses there in those days. His last beat before coming to city hall was in the Highlands. The faithful officer was showered with congratulations yesterday when it became known that he was observing his 45th anniversary as a policeman.

## SEVEN KILLED IN FIGHT

Outbreak in Diamond Mine at South Africa — Armed Farmers and Troops on Guard

JAEGERSFONTEIN, Union of South Africa, Jan. 10.—Seven native laborers in the diamond mines were killed and 26 wounded in an outbreak here this afternoon. A few whites also received injuries.

The trouble had no connection with the strike of railroad men but arose in a dispute about the death of a Basuto, which was said to be the result of a kick from a white man.

The whites were driven by the na-

tives into a tunnel of a mine, where they defended themselves. In the meantime the natives destroyed the huts in their compound.

A body of 500 armed whites then came on the scene and dispersed the natives after a sharp fight.

The town is now under the control of a detachment of armed farmers from the surrounding country, who are supported by a small force of regular troops.

necessary to fulfill campaign promises of Mr. Murphy and others in filling lucrative positions and also to give plenty of freedom and swing for the mayor to run his department in luxury. The test of fitness is to give results. For Mr. Murphy's benefit, I will inform him that the municipal council votes appropriations and it takes four votes to issue loans for permanent improvements."

"I am only one in five but I am going to try to have the provisions of the charter lived up to in the administration of the police and license departments, which should be divorced."

Will Close Cook Wells  
Commissioner Carmichael stated today that the Cook wells which have been running since early last spring would be closed tomorrow and would remain closed until next spring unless the boulevard wells should fail in producing the necessary supply. There was a time when the state board of health said it was not safe to run the Cook wells more than ten or twelve weeks at a time because of the action of the water on lead pipe, but because of the failure of the boulevard wells to supply the necessary amount and also because of the condition of the water from those wells it was found necessary to employ the Cook wells continuously. It is hoped, however, that no

harm has resulted from the long continued use of these wells.

At Work on Westford Street  
About 150 water department men are engaged in the completion of work in Westford street having to do with the laying of a main there. Their work will end at School street. Another gang is employed in Adams street and as soon as the pipe they are working on has been brought down to Liberty square, they, too, will have finished.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE  
FROM MIDDLESEX STREET STATION TO TAKE EFFECT MONDAY — AN IMPROVEMENT NEEDED

According to the new time table of the Boston & Maine railroad which will go into effect Monday, Jan. 12, the trains for Boston on the Southern division will leave Lowell at 1.45, 2.30, 3.59 and 4.20 p. m.

By this arrangement there is no train on this division between 2.30 and 3.53 p. m. a space of one hour and 23 minutes. It seems that the Boston & Maine management might improve the local service by lessening the long interval between these two trains.

The changes in the schedule are as follows:

Trains leaving Lowell for Boston at 2.34 p. m., 4.39 p. m. and 7.13 p. m. will begin Monday leave here at 2.30 p. m., 4.29 p. m. and 7.11 p. m. respectively. The train that previously left Boston for Lowell at 7.23 a. m. will leave the Hub at 7.14 a. m. and reach this city at 8.21. One change has been made on the Portland division. The train which now leaves Boston for this city at 9.35 p. m. via Lowell Junction will leave Boston at 9.59 p. m. and reach here at 11.09 p. m. The train leaving Lawrence at 10.10 p. m. for Lowell will leave at 10.20 p. m. and arrive here at 11.02.

The matter of discontinuing the 12.05 a. m. train from Boston known as the late theatre train is now before the public service commission and what action will be taken is not yet known.

Only dance in town, Mon., Prescott.

Best music, Monday, Prescott.

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CENTRAL STREET

WARREN STREET

NEW STREET



## THE SPELLBINDER

The inaugural exercises on Monday were given added interest by the delivery of two inaugural addresses, one by the incoming mayor and the other by the ex-mayor already in, and now known as commissioner of finance—Alderman Brown. Mayor Murphy lost a great opportunity in failing to denounce the practice of joyriding in municipal automobiles. With Mayor Miller of Quincy, he might have condemned the practice of taking a \$1500 automobile to a 25-cent dinner or upon nightly joyrides to return in need of repairs in the early hours of the morning. A homily on this subject, delivered from the high chair at city hall, would interest a whole lot of people.

## The Hospital Controversy

The hospital fight goes on merrily, but it is difficult to say where it will end. By the application of the referendum the city treasurer is forbidden to pay for the Pillsbury estate under the purchase made by last year's city council. Many of those who signed the referendum papers did so under the impression that the whole matter would be referred to the people at a special election; but such is not the case.

It is clear that the whole purpose of the referendum petitions was to delay and suspend the taking effect of the vote on the Pillsbury lot until the new city council should repeal what the former city council had done, and just as soon as the new city council reports that action, if it does so, the referendum petitions would have no further force or legal effect and no election would be held. People who want the Pillsbury place purchased for a hospital site ask nothing more than that all of the voters be given the chance to say "yes" or "no" on the subject, and this chance and privilege can come to them only by having the necessary number of voters sign the initiative petitions which are in circulation.

Apart from the merits of the dispute the varied proceedings in the case will familiarize the people with the provisions of the new charter. Those who want a special election will have to sign the initiative papers issued by Walter E. Guyette, the real estate agent in the Central block. Should a special election be held it is certain that the selection of the Pillsbury site would be sustained as every other section of the city would vote in favor of that site.

## The Oaklands Sewer

The people of the Oaklands want the sewer pump that was spoken of some years ago installed in Westworth avenue. There is an unsolved sewer problem in that district that Alderman Morse would gladly tackle if given the opportunity; but the administration is pledged to strict economy and cannot touch any such heavy undertakings without violating its pledges. However, after we get a new bridge at Hawthorneville, a new hospital, a new public hall, a new high school, a new industrial school, more smooth paving and a new park in West Centralville, then this Oakland sewer problem may be favorably considered.

## The Regal Chair

His Honor George H. Brown, commissioner of finance, does not like to see His Honor Mayor Murphy assume the regal dignity of the throne chair from which he can look down upon his colleagues. Ex-Mayor O'Donnell never used this throne chair, preferring to get down on a level with his fellow members. But if Mayor Murphy persists in the use of this chair, he may receive an occasional "cut down" from the members of finance, unless the latter be also provided with a similar high chair on the other side of the chamber. The small boy will naturally inquire whether the officials who use high chairs at city hall require to be strapped in.

## Parading the Appropriations

There will undoubtedly be a lively scramble among the heads of city departments to see how much money each can get for the present year. There is a loud call for street work but no money; while Supt. Morse, the big-hearted alderman, has to wait the pleasure of the other members and the commissioner of finance before he can put any large number of men to work. There is a rumored intention to do as much as possible for the departments of public safety, streets and public property and as little as possible for schools. I do not believe the citizens will countenance any move of this kind for while they want good streets, sewers and more municipal buildings, yet they want the schools maintained in good condition and would not tolerate any policy by which the work of educating the children might be crippled by lack of money. But the commissioner of finance says there is money enough, so perhaps after all there is no ground for apprehension. He should know.

## Should Examine His Conscience

A few days ago the "Political Straw" man of the Courier-Citizen actually took The Sun to task for not mentioning Mayor Murphy's name more often in the city hall reports. Perhaps his name was mentioned more frequently than His Honor would wish, but, be that as it may, the incident results in a mild story that fits the case. Daniel O'Connell, the great champion of Ireland's rights, on being mentioned in a complimentary way by the London Times, declared in a public speech that whenever that paper mentioned his name with ordinary respect, he retired to the seclusion of his chamber to examine his conscience in order to ascertain whether in any way or in any degree he had been unfaithful to his country or his people. While I do not make any comparison between Daniel O'Connell and Mayor Murphy, yet I believe the latter may well ask himself, "What have I done that I should be so beset by the Courier-Citizen?" Mayor Murphy in this case has more reason to examine his conscience than ever did Daniel O'Connell.

## Guard the City Line

Mayor Murphy has announced that he will investigate the appointment of three men from the civil service list to the superintendency police force by ex-Mayor O'Donnell shortly before going out of office. If the present mayor or find the appointments unlawful, he will at once discharge the men; but otherwise, he may have the consolation of treating them as deadly enemies and placing them somewhere in the suburbs to see that no nightly marauder shall steal the city line. The civil service commission should be notified that with the present administration it is held to be of more importance how the candidates for appointment voted in the last city election than is the percentage they ob-

tained in the civil service examination.

## "Legacies" to Mr. Barlow

I notice that retiring County Commissioner Marden has issued a lengthy statement, purporting to be "Reform Legacies" turned over to Commissioner Barlow. They are presented as matters which Mr. Marden says were "muddled over" in various discussions among the commissioners while originally mainly with Commissioner Williams. In point of fact, they are mainly the reforms that Commissioner Barlow has been advocating, the chief of which is his move for the application of civil service laws to county institutions same as to state and municipal. Commissioner Gould points out certain county officers who could not very well come under civil service rules, such for example as the sheriff, court officers, clerks of court and the husband and wife placed in each corner at the county training school. It was never intended to have such officials under civil service.

Mr. Marden was appointed by Commissioners Gould and Williams, and is naturally interested in presenting any progressive ideas they may have conceived; but something more than the contemplation of changes is needed. Mr. Barlow will have some of the reforms "contemplated" by his predecessors put on the statute books. He will also have many important changes made in the internal affairs of the county unless overruled at all points by his two colleagues.

## The Gambler's Bluff Exposed

I notice that a writer in the Courier-Citizen Political Straws misrepresents The Sun in a sneaky manner by separating a sentence from the context and giving it a meaning it did not convey in the article. I had been discussing gambling in Lowell as described by Mayor Murphy in his campaign, and said:

"If I should judge from Mr. Murphy's campaign declarations, there must be about 2000 professional gamblers in Lowell, all idlers who go about wearing the finest of clothes and without any other occupation but that of separating honest people from their money. 'Will Mayor Murphy allow this army of gamblers to pursue the even tenor of their way and continue to fleece the hard working wage earners, who need the money for the support of their families?'"

The Citizen writer quoted the last paragraph with this comment:

"Our esteemed contemporary across the way, while very reticent during the recent campaign, to admit the remote possibility of there being any gambling in Lowell, surprised its readers on Saturday with the statement:"

Nobody at The Sun office has had any reason to form a different opinion as to the manner in which the gambling bogey was used to bluff the people. The Courier-Citizen lent its aid to the misrepresentation of the conditions, while The Sun maintained, as it does now, that gambling was not nearly so prevalent in Lowell as represented by Mr. Murphy and his backers. Now, I find that in order to excuse the total absence of any attempt to suppress gambling, the major's backlogs and apologies have been left town and in the very item referred to above the Courier-Citizen strawman tries to minimize the alleged evil, or rather to justify the tall lying in regard to the matter before election in the following words:

"We get the tip from well informed persons that since the night of the election, when the gambling place has been running in the city, and that a very tame affair, hardly worthy of the name."

The situation in regard to gambling is this: Before election Mayor Murphy held up the gambling bogey to scare the people. The papers that supported him did the same thing. Now The Sun holds up the gambling bogey to scare the people. The papers that supported him did the same thing. Now The Sun holds up the gambling bogey to scare the people. The papers that supported him did the same thing.

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If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## NOTED AVIATOR

Who is Ordered to Fight Duel or Else Lose His License

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Jules Vedrines and Henri Roux, noted French aviators, are supposed to be the actors in the next real duel with real swords. No handkerchiefs will not be the weapons. Blood must be spilled. Both men made



VEDRINES

wonderful flights from Paris to Cairo, Egypt, and Vedrines claimed that Roux told keepers at supply stations not to sell him oil, gasoline or food. He encountered Roux in Cairo and allowed one of his lists to intentionally encounter the face of M. Roux. Whereupon Rene Quinton, president of the French Aerial League, ordered the sky pilots to settle their grievances in a duel under penalty of losing their licenses. Vedrines, at first refusing, has now agreed to fight Roux when he returns to that dear Paris where the Bois de Boulogne affords many hidden corners suitable for holding death parties.

## BIG ROAD GRAFT

Is Revealed in the New York State Highways Department

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Road repair work which a state inspector estimated would cost at the outside \$3 a cubic yard was contracted for without bids by the state highways department at \$4.50 a cubic yard, an unnecessary cost to the state of about \$1200 a mile. Another outside estimate of \$3.75 a cubic yard was raised to \$6.25 a cubic yard when let to contractors by state officials at Albany. This "graft" was at the rate of about \$2000 a mile. This testimony was given yesterday by William G. Merritt, who was an inspector of highways in Ulster county from 1907 to 1912, in the John Doe Graft inquiry here. District Attorney Whitman characterized this as "the most important evidence yet brought out in the investigation." It was evident that the alleged grafting was done in Ulster county, suggested that the evidence be turned over to the authorities there. Merritt signed an immunity waiver before he was permitted to testify. When he was called to the stand on Dec. 29 he said he had been advised not to waive immunity and declared he saw no reason for surrendering any of his rights.

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## ENGLAND RING CHAMPION, WHO WILL MEET GUNBOAT SMITH



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## PARIS ELECTION SCANDAL

EDITOR CHARGES MEMBERS OF CABINET WITH TRYING TO EXTRACT MONEY FOR ELECTIONS

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Gaston Calmette, director of the Figaro, published in that newspaper yesterday a signed article accusing Finance Minister Caillaux of trying to extort money for electoral purposes from the heirs of a Frenchman named Priou, who died in Brazil 39 years ago after he had obtained a concession. The French government claimed the concession and sold it after Priou's death. The man's heirs sued the government for compensation of from \$600,000 to \$800,000. Successive cabinets fought the claim and the heirs lost hope of getting the money. M. Caillaux summoned their counsel to a conference on Jan. 5, and is reported to have said that after studying the case he had come to the conclusion that the Priou family had been unjustly treated. The minister is said to have advised that he believed more than \$1,000,000 was due the heirs of Priou at present. Explaining that the election fund of the present ministry has been exhausted and that heavy demands are pending M. Caillaux is reported to have said: "If you make something, so must we. The government has its rights as well as its duties."

## REPORT OF DEATHS

Jan. 2 Anna J. Rogers, 42, lobar pneumonia. Jan. 3 Joseph M. L. Therien, 41, tubercular pneumonia. Jan. 4 Margaretta McNeil, 1 m. hereditary syphilis. Jan. 5 Bernard McCusker, 62, arteriosclerosis. Jan. 6 James E. Kennedy, 22, mitral regurgitation. Jan. 7 Lavina Townsend, 72, arterio-sclerosis. Jan. 8 John O'Brien, 50, pernicious anaemia. Jan. 9 James O'Brien, 70, cystitis. Jan. 10 Margaret Gorman, 69, arterio-sclerosis. Jan. 11 William Paul, 26, pulmonary tuberculosis. Jan. 12 Ruth M. Ventor, 1 m. convulsions. Jan. 13 Adolphe Gendron, 33, endocarditis. Jan. 14 Mary Brooks, 55, diphtheria. Jan. 15 Charles H. True, 58, hemorrhage of brain. Jan. 16 Hannah Whitney, 53, senile dementia. Jan. 17 Anna M. Curtis, 49, tuberculosis. Jan. 18 Amy McCullough, 33, pulmonary tuberculosis. Jan. 19 Clementine Ducharme, 33, pulmonary tuberculosis. Jan. 20 Elizabeth A. Russell, 33, endocarditis. Jan. 21 Mary Sarna, 45, carcinoma of liver. Jan. 22 John Karpurik, 33, typhoid fever. Jan. 23 Marie Hervieux, 1 day, congenital debility. Jan. 24 Gertrude A. Davis, 4 m. ileo-colicitis. Jan. 25 Samuel N. Kingsley, 66, hemorrhage of brain. Jan. 26 Anna M. Delane, 5, oedema of lungs. Jan. 27 Eugene P. Stacey, 20, cerebral hemorrhage. Jan. 28 Joseph Kambarian, 11 m. acute bronchitis. Jan. 29 Thomas GIB, 47, accident. Jan. 30 John Gauthier, 65, arterio-sclerosis. Jan. 31 John Gough, 53, aneurism. Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

## LOCAL MEMBERS OF THE GRANADA ORDER

Annual Meeting of the Granada Order in Boston Tomorrow Afternoon—Election of Officers

The Mystic Nobles of Granada of New England will hold their annual meeting in Deacon hall, 1651 Washington street, Boston tomorrow afternoon, commencing at 2:30 o'clock and it promises to be the biggest gathering of Nobles under one roof ever brought together. Grand Monarch Charles F. J. McCre will preside and reports will be read from various officers, including Financial Secretary Henry M. Carey, Treasurer Mark Mulvey and others. After the reading of the reports the election of officers will take place, followed by refreshments and an entertainment.

## GOING TO ADEIRSVY

Joseph F. Montmay of this city, candidate for the president general of Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique, will go to Aderisvy tomorrow evening to preside over the installation of the officers of Council St. Jean Baptiste of that city. Mr. Montmay will be accompanied by delegations from the local councils.

## BANK FAILED TO OPEN

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## STATE CONVENTION HERE

The Painters and Decorators of Massachusetts to Assemble Tomorrow—Issues Involved

Arrangements are practically completed for the 5th Massachusetts state conference of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers, which is to be opened in Carpenter's hall, Innels building, tomorrow morning. It is expected that over 60 delegates representing nearly every city in the state will be present and many others will attend the convention which is one of the most important of the painters' calendar.

The meeting will be called to order by President Al. Lamarche of Holyoke and the greater part of tomorrow's session will be devoted to transacting routine business and the reading of reports. Sessions will be held Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and some interesting and able speakers are scheduled to be present. It will be the largest meeting of painters and paperhangers ever held in this city and the members of the local union are looking forward to its opening with much enthusiasm.

The Massachusetts state conference was organized in December, 1911 at Worcester by the delegates of about twenty-five local unions of the state of Massachusetts. It is a delegate body of painters, decorators, paper hangers and sign writers and other men who work in the allied trades of the industry. Its objects are to benefit the membership by closer state affiliation, assistance to others in times of trouble, and the effort to secure legislation that will safeguard the life and health of those employed in the trade. The present officers are: President, Al. Lamarche, Holyoke; vice president, Alfred Noble, corresponding and recording secretary, P. H. Triggs, Springfield; secretary-treasurer, Joseph McDonough, Pittsfield.

## The Lowell Union

The local union of painters, decorators and paperhangers was organized in February, 1900, with sixty-three charter members. On Labor day of the same year the local turned out in one of Lowell's largest parades with a delegation of over 100 men.

Early in 1907 a demand was sent to the Master Painters' association for an increase of fifty cents a day, but it refused to grant it. On April 5 a motion was passed that all men who did not get \$2.50 per day on the coming Monday quit the job and the result was that the majority of the master painters gave the increase.

Since that time the local has succeeded in getting two increases and at the present time the men draw thirty-seven and one-half cents per hour and work 44 hours a week. With its membership increasing the local is in better condition than ever since the big strike of 1902.

A souvenir containing a history of the local organization and a short sketch of the Massachusetts state conference will be given to those who attend any of the sessions and plenty of entertainment is assured.

## REAL SUNSHINE IS FOUND GUILTY

in Chicago Yesterday for Man Must State That Strike Exists When Advertising for Help

First Time in Nearly Three Weeks

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—For the first time in nearly three weeks Chicagoans yesterday saw real sunshine for just 10 minutes, according to the records of the Chicago weather bureau.

Heavy fogs and low hanging clouds have darkened the city for more than two-thirds of the daylight hours during the last two and a half months. Since Dec. 22 the darkness has been continuous with the exception of the 15 minutes' respite yesterday. On five different days the fog and clouds were so heavy that it became necessary to turn on street lights in the middle of the day.

## NEW TORPEDO WILL BE TESTED

Invention of Newport Naval Officers Is Kept Secret—First Firing Tests Will Be Made Soon

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 10.—That a torpedo embodying several new features in construction has been built at the naval torpedo station here by some of the officers and mechanics is now generally understood in Newport. Secrecy is maintained as to the details of the new torpedo. It has been learned, however, that in a short time everything will be in readiness for the first firing tests to determine the speed and actual effectiveness of the new projectile.

## IF WIFE SMOKES IN BED, LEAVE

Judge Discharges Husband Who Had Been Arrested For Desertion and Non-support

WASHINGTON, Pa., Jan. 10.—A wife's cigarette smoking in bed is sufficient grounds for a husband to desert her and refuse to provide for her board and lodging, was the ruling yesterday of Justice J. P. Carmichael in discharging Daniel Fisher, who had been arrested on charges of desertion and non-support.

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Lamps, Domes, Mantles, Globes, Etc. WELCH BROS., 61 MIDDLE STREET.



## RED MEN MEET AT NORTH BILLERICA

Passaconaway Tribe  
Held Council Fire in  
Wigwam Last Night

Sachem Daniel E. Starkey presided at the council fire of Passaconaway tribe, 33, Improved Order of Red Men in the wigwam in Odd Fellows building, last night. A big raft of routine business was transacted. Good reports of the tribe's finances and membership were made.

The deputy great sachem, Joseph H. McNab, of Haverhill, was unable to be present, and he delegated P. S. James H. Hickey to act as deputy great sachem.

Brother Hickey was assisted by William H. Martin as deputy great sachem, and by Deputy Great Junior Sagamore James A. Shorn, Deputy Great Chief of Records Charles J. Martin, Deputy Great Collector of Wampum Richard Towle, Deputy Great Keeper of Wampum George O. Spaulding, Deputy Great Warrior Thos. H. Sellers and Dep. Gt. Brave Edward Whitney. These raised up the chiefs-elect of the tribe to their respective stumps, as follows: Prophet, Daniel E. Starkey; sachem, William H. Martin, Jr.; senior sagamore, R. F. Ellis; chief of records, Arthur W. Garland; collector of wampum, Fred Santum; keeper of wampum, Edward T. Goward; appointed chief guards of wigwam, Fred O. Marshall; guards of forest, George A. Frost; finance committee, Daniel E. Starkey, R. F. Hall, Paul Smith; entertainment committee, Geo. A. Frost, James H. Hickey, William H. Martin, Fred O. Marshall, George O. Spaulding.

Relief committee, George A. Frost, Fred O. Marshall, William H. Martin, William Hall, William H. Martin, James H. Hickey. After the last ember had died out on the council fire the Passaconaways hit the trail for the banquet hall, where a oyster supper was served by a committee consisting of George A. Frost, Fred O. Marshall, George O. Spaulding, Thomas H. Sellers and Jas. H. Hickey.

The noon edition of The Sun is on sale by newsboys and at all news stands.

## The Inside of the Stomach

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## PARENT ASSOCIATION TO BE ORGANIZED—MOTHERS' CIRCLE HELD INTERESTING MEETING

At 3 o'clock mothers' circle met in the Talbot school, North Billerica, with about 50 women present. Mr. Webster, superintendent of schools, opened the meeting. In the absence of the regular chairman, and introduced Mrs. Smith of Malden as the speaker of the afternoon. She spoke very interestingly of the Parent Teacher association and told of its aims and the work it is doing. She told how to organize a Parent Teacher association at Billerica. A committee consisting of Mrs. E. C. Vining, Mrs. B. O. Sanford and Mrs. Carr was appointed to take charge of the matter.

It was announced that the first meeting of the organization will be held Jan. 22 at the Pollard school at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. It is hoped that all the schools or not will make a special effort to be present at this meeting. After the business meeting was over a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served by the teachers of the Talbot school.

The newly organized Nokunus club, composed of many of the young ladies of North Billerica, held its first meeting last night at the home of Miss Margaret Condon, to elect officers for the ensuing year. After a spirited contest, the following were elected: President, Miss Florence McNamara; vice president, Miss Agnes Hennessy; treasurer, Miss Anna Higgins; secretary, Miss Lillian Barton. After the election of officers, plans were discussed for future action.

During the evening a musical program was enjoyed, there being piano selections by the Misses Barton; Conaway and Higgins; violin selections by the Misses Condon and McNamara; recitations by the Misses Mahoney and Condon; and solos by Miss Hennessy.

Refreshments were served and the club adjourned until the next meeting, which will be held at the home of Miss McNamara.

## MAKE HIM EARN LIVING

STUDENT WHO SPENDS OVER \$700 A YEAR SHOULD BE TAKEN OUT OF COLLEGE, SAYS STRYCKER

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The student who spends more than \$700 a year ought to be taken out of college and made to earn his own living. This is the opinion expressed by President Strycker of Hamilton college at a meeting of the alumni of that institution here.

"If I had my way I would put out of college every boy who spends more than \$700 a year," he said. "That boy is doing himself no good and he is a bad example to others."

Prof. A. T. Saunders of Hamilton said that the faculty had come to realize that a college education is unnecessarily expensive.

## SALARIES RAISED

Mayor Increases Pay of  
Boston Fire and Police  
Departments

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—For the second time under his administration, Mayor Fitzgerald last evening increased the salaries of Boston's policemen and firemen. All members of the police department below the rank of captain had their salaries increased, and all members of the fire department below the rank of deputy chief met with like good fortune. The raises will cost the city \$200,000 a year to meet.

Under the orders approved by the mayor the maximum salaries of policemen in the police department and of privates in the fire department were increased from \$1300 to \$1400 per year. The officers of the police department below the rank of captain and the officers of the fire department below the rank of deputy chief all had their salaries increased \$200 a year, save the sergeants of police, who got an increase of \$175 a year.

The increase which caused general rejoicing in the police and fire departments last night were a redemption of a promise which the mayor made to the rank and file of the police and fire departments some time ago.

The mayor's action made the policemen and firemen independent of the outcome of the present municipal campaign. The action last night followed conferences with Police Commissioner O'Meara and Fire Commissioner Cole, both of whom, the mayor says, heartily approved the proposed increases.

The increases are as follows:

**Police Department**  
District chiefs from \$2300 to \$2500.  
Captains from \$1800 to \$2000.  
Lieutenants from \$1500 to \$1600.  
Privates from \$1300 to \$1400.

**Fire Department**  
Lieutenants and inspectors from \$1800 to \$2000.  
Sergeants from \$1575 to \$1750.  
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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

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Mr. Chandler of the Sawyer Carriage company reports a busy season, saying that very many cars have been brought to his establishment for repainting during the period when the weather is not exactly conducive to motoring. General overhauling and repair work are also carried on at this station to a large extent.

Mr. Rochette of the Ford Motor Mart has returned to this city from his visit to the New York show and has brought with him many interesting figures regarding the Ford Motor cars of which he is the local agent.

The Buick company's advertisement printed in this paper will interest a large number of people, for it shows the great confidence which the many factors have in their product as well as in the satisfaction which the purchasers of Buicks will experience. The sales of the company, whose headquarters are in Appleton street, are on the increase constantly because of the energy with which they place their cars before the people.

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West Side Tennis Club to Teach Youngsters How to Play

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Lawn tennis will be taught in early youth and trained to be the McLaughlins of the future, according to the plan adopted by the annual meeting of the West Side Tennis club. The members favored the suggestion of the national association that the club open the way for at least two hundred junior members to join.

The boys will be developed so that the youngsters of the east may reach that point of skill where they may compete against the wonderful young players of the west. The plan is the first move made in this section of the country to provide for beginners at the game.

The West Side club expects to hold the Davis cup international matches on its new courts at Forest Hills, L. I. The preliminary matches for this famous trophy, it is said, will be played in cities outside of New York with Boston, Philadelphia, and Chicago as the most likely to be selected.

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GEO. E. REYNOLDS SEeks DIVORCE FROM WIFE WHO DESERTED HIM

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Mr. Reynolds' home is at 23 Pleasant avenue, Somerville, and his wife is said to be living in New York city. The trial has been fixed in the superior court at East Cambridge.

The former Boston beauty received country-wide notoriety nearly seven years ago upon the arrest of her companion, George P. Bowler, on a charge of forgery. She met Bowler through her husband at her home in Commonwealth avenue in 1904.

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Mrs. and Mrs. Reynolds were married in 1902. The husband was many years the senior of his wife. The match was regarded as a good one in social circles at that time. The former Mrs. Stevens came from a prominent Boston family and had been educated in a private school.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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John T. Conway to Bridge Crane, land and buildings on South street.

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Nellie E. Brogan to City of Lowell, land at Washington park.

Armelle Rousseau, et al. by trs. assee of estate, to Jacob Welch, et al. land and buildings on Payton street.

Central Savings Bank, Lowell, to Joseph P. Quigley, et al. land and buildings on Union street.

James A. Rowe et al. to A. Hayden Sawyer, land and buildings cor. Second and Read streets.

Rosevelt Hildreth Read est. by exor. to Oscar P. Read, land and buildings on Bridge street.

Harvey B. Greene to Catherine F. McNeil, land and buildings on Pine street.

Emma Smith Harris to James P. Mulvaney, land and building on Chauncey avenue.

Reginald Donoghue to Nasar Harouk, et al. land and buildings on Suffolk street.

Sally V. Barnes by mortgage, to William J. Brown, land on Mill street, and passageway.

William D. Brown to Hattie M. Taylor, land on Mill street and passageway.

Pearl Stahl to Antonio Capuano, et al. land and buildings on McIntyre street.

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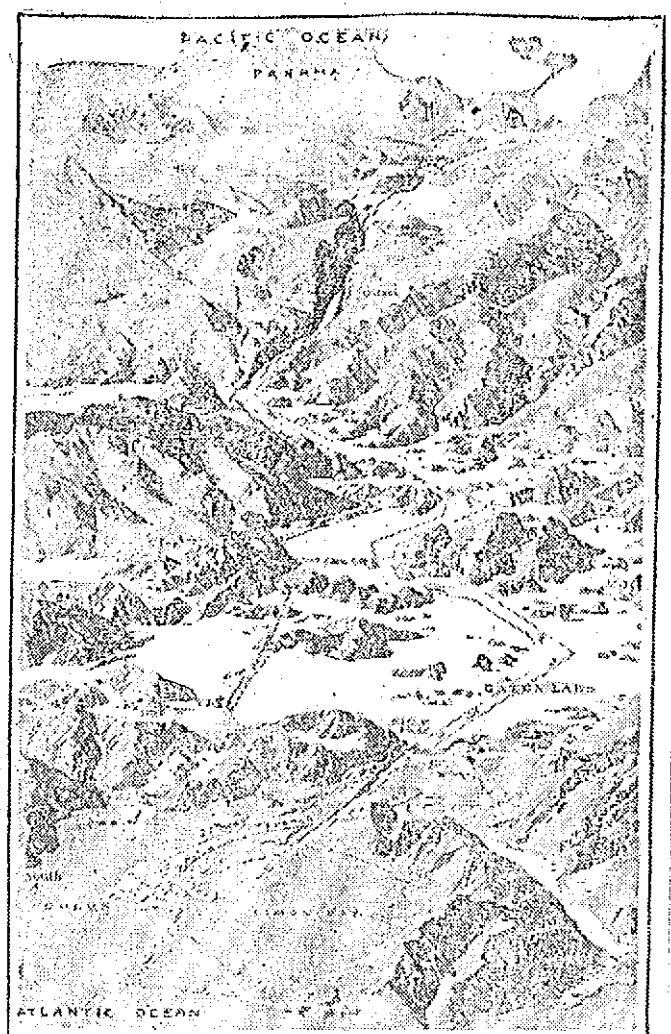
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## A STRIKING BIRDSEYE VIEW OF THE PANAMA CANAL



COLON, Jan. 10.—It is now generally conceded that the first steamer to traverse the Panama canal from one ocean to the other will go through late

March provided no new slides occur at Culebra cut. The accompanying illustration gives an effective presentation of the canal's course from end to end and the adjoining territory.

Leighton, land on Willow Dale avenue. John McShea, et al. by atty. to John McShea, land on Cross street, Land and Bay State roads.

Martha J. Proctor est. by admr. to Henry S. Proctor, land and buildings on Bond street.

WESTFORD

Lucy M. Flagg to Frank Gregory, land on Littleton road.

WILMINGTON

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Amabel Augustus de Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Semphora E. de Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.

Bruswick E. Brown, est. by admr. to Bartholomew J. Lehan, land and buildings cor. Cottage and Lake View avenues.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank Loukas, land at Wilmington Square Park.

George A. McCormack to Reginald D. Lantry, land on Commonwealth avenue.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Charles K. Waybitt, land at Wilmington Square Park.

Ernest H. Wendland to John Lagerstrom, land at Pinegrove Park.

Aaron Adelman to Sophie Smith, land cor. Garden road and South street.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Francis H. Mammis, land on Park avenue.

Charles E. Lyons to Florence E. Collins, land at Oakland Park.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of Court Scandia 182, Foresters of America held last night

Dr. J. B. Albert Johnson was elected court physician for the members in this city and Dr. E. E. Varney for those in Chelmsford and vicinity. Reports from the different committees were read and approved by the members and the recently elected officers were installed by Deputy Alfred McDougall assisted by Deputy John Barrett. Refreshments were served.

Stationary Firemen

The International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen has installed the following officers: President, John T. Hendricks; vice president, Patrick Cummings; financial secretary, Thomas J. McGee; recording and corresponding secretary, John P. Dean; sergeant-at-arms, Michael Kinane; delegates to the trades and labor council, Dominick Moohan, Patrick Culligan, John T. Hendricks, Thomas J. McGee, John W. Downing and Patrick Cummings. The next meeting of the local will be held on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 25, at which the auditors will make a report of the financial standing of the local.

Court General Shields

Court General Shields 46, Foresters of America, met in regular session last night and the following officers were installed:

Dr. Hugh Flannery; S. G. R. John Hanley; treasurer, John L. McDonough; F. S. James H. Cox; R. S. William C. Bowles; W. Patrick Carthy; J. W. John Dally; S. B. Owen Morris; J. B. J. E. Lang; trustee, Patrick Roacher; lecturer, John C. McQuinn; physician, Dr. William M. Collins; D. G. R. Brother Barrett; Albert McDougall, herald.

To Hold Banquet

In the course of the regular meeting of Court Gen. Dixon, 217, F. of A., which was held last night in Gratton

hall, it was decided to hold a banquet for the members and their friends, the event to be held in the near future. The meeting was largely attended and Chief Ranger M. J. Monahan occupied the chair. The recently elected officers were installed, the ceremony being presided over by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Albert McDougall, assisted by Deputy Narcissa Gaudin. Interesting remarks were delivered by Michael J. Monahan, Stephen D. Brown, John Mulligan, Michael J. Boyle and visiting brothers, John Barrett, Albert McDougall and Narcissa Gaudin.

The committee appointed to look after arrangements for the banquet consists of the following: Michael J. Monahan, chairman; John J. Mahoney, secretary; Stephen D. Brown, treasurer; Peter Quinn, Patrick Owens, Joseph A. Lorraine, John Mulligan, Michael J. Day, Bernard McKee, Eugene J. Butler, Michael J. Boyle and John J. Fitzpatrick.

A delightful whist party was held at St. John's hall, North Chelmsford, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The affair was largely attended and at the close of the contest prizes were awarded as follows:

Ladies—First prize, Miss Elizabeth Kearns, gold pendant and chain; second, Miss Agnes Hogan, box of candy; consolation, Miss Margaret Brady. Gentlemen—First prize, Edward J. Lawrence, stickpin; second, John Garvey, who also tied for first place, box of candy; consolation, George Walsh. Miss Mary Cox and Miss Grace Collins were the scorers, and Miss Emma Valentine, president of the society, supervised the general arrangements, which had been entrusted to Miss Nina Callahan and Mrs. Michael Scollan. Refreshments were served during the intermission.

IN POLICE COURT

Only Three Cases on Docket — Absconding Inmates Sentenced

Today's police court session was a very short affair but three cases appearing before Judge Enright for settlement.

The superintendent of the state hospital at Tewksbury had two cases of absconding patients who were both sent to the state farm at Bridgewater. Hermann Distler and John Long both left the infirmary without obtaining a release and returned within the year for aid from the state. Both men pleaded guilty to the charge of soliciting public charity after absconding from the institution.

Michael Bridger was charged with drunkenness. He gave his home as Weymouth and was given until Monday to leave Lowell and return to the bosom of family bracken was profuse in his promises for the future.

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BRYANT, DR. MASON D. ....304  
HARRIS, DR. W. L. ....311  
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GAPNEY, DR. JAMES F. ....211  
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SMITH, DR. FORSTER H. ....300

DENTISTS  
ALLEN, DR. OTIS A. ....204  
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PHILLIPS, DR. NORMAN S. ....008

OPTOMETRISTS  
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UNION ELECTRIC CO. ....712

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DUNCAN, WILLIAM W. ....611  
FISHER, EDWARD .....807  
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GOLDMAN, FRANK L. ....404  
HILBRETH, CHARLES L. ....814  
HILL, JAMES GILBERT .....814  
MARBLE, FREDERICK P. ....807  
REHAN, WILLIAM D. ....803  
RING, WILLIAM D. ....601  
SILVERBLATT, BENNETT .....803

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OUELLETTE, MISS ANNA .....701

ENGRAVER  
OHLSON, CARL M. ....805

MILLINER  
LEIGHTON, MARY DUNLAP .....006

TAILOR  
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CHIROPODIST  
SAUNDERS, MISS CLARA M. ....008

WATCH REPAIRING  
DEANE, D. J. ....365

JEWELRY  
DAVIS BROTHERS .....501

JOHNSTON WON

MANILA, Jan. 10.—William Johnston of California this afternoon won the final round of the lawn tennis championship of the Philippines, beating Bill Patterson, also of California, by three sets to one. The score: 6-3, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.

FALCON'S NIGHT

Battle of Music Attraction Last Night at Associate Hall

The fourth annual party and dance of the Falcons was held last night in Associate hall where a battle of music ensued between Miners' and Joyks' orchestras. The dance order contained 30 numbers, with extras, and the attendance was unusually large.

The success of the affair was due to the splendid efforts of the following officers: General manager, Leo J. Ward; assistant general manager, William Noonan; floor director, George A. Flinders; assistant floor director, Patrick P. Flannery; aids, Catherine Devine, Odette Greener, Sadie Foley, Leo McEvoy, Mary McGuire, Mollie Townsend, James Gray, Walter McEvoy, Anna O'Loughlin, Gertrude Conroy, Mary Farrell, Madeline Flinders, Dora Ward, Mae Mahoney, Margaret Farrell, Catherine Farrell, Walter Dow, Mae Lively, Bella Baxter, Irene Devine; treasurer, James W. McEvoy.

CARPENTERS' UNION MEETING

The members of Millmen's local, 1458, Carpenters' union, held a special meeting in their hall in Rutland building last night. The affair was largely attended and at the close of the business meeting an enjoyable smoke talk was held. An informal entertainment program was carried out much to the satisfaction of those present, those taking part being: John Morin, Frank Beaulieu, Henry Dupre, Thomas Linscott, Michael A. Lee, Charles Boisvert, M. Sauvageau, James Erwin and Morris Greenbaum.

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# TO PROVIDE FOR ADMIRALS

## Legislation to Care for Officers is Urged in Memoranda Submitted by Paymaster Gen. Cowie

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Legislation to provide for admirals and vice admirals in the navy with permanent commissions and not merely holding the rank while actually serving on sea duty in command of fleets or squadrons, is urged in memoranda just submitted by Paymaster General Cowie, U. S. N., to the house committee on naval affairs. This recommendation follows Secretary Daniels' declaration in favor of four vice admirals and the reported probable attitude of the naval committee in favor of temporary commissioning of rear admirals in these higher ranks.

"This rumored attitude on the part of the naval committee regarding a question of such vital moment," wrote the paymaster general, "is the source of much apprehensive worry to government officials, naval officers and other persons familiar with international affairs who on their well-founded knowledge, very keenly appreciate the necessity which demands the creation of permanent higher flag rank in the American navy. A law that would grant only temporary commissions as admirals and vice admirals would at best prove hardly more than a half-way measure and would almost entirely fail to bring about just those national benefits and advantages of position, the obtaining of which constitutes the motive of the recommendation. Supreme command in concerted international activities hinges not only upon relative grade standings regarded separately, but also upon the seniority of commissions within a grade. The perpetual relegation of American commanders to inferior phases of joint duties under foreign leadership is something that is neither profitable in practice nor pleasant to think upon.

"An admiral should command a fleet, a vice admiral should command a squadron, a rear admiral should command a division."

# BIG ELECTRIC GENERATOR

## To be Placed in Merrimack Mills—Valve Failed in Prescott Mill—Dividends in Fall River Mills

The Merrimack Manufacturing Co. of this city, will place in operation in its power plant a 3750 kv-a. Curtis turbo-generator with fourteen panel switchboards and accessories, and will also install a 100 kw. motor-generator set. This unit will be built and installed by the General Electric company.

**The Prescott Explosion**  
Agent Mitchell of the Massachusetts mills states that the explosion of cylinders in the slasher room of the Prescott mills yesterday did not reflect in any way upon the method of transmitting power by steam pipe from the main plant of the Massachusetts mills, but resulted from the failure of a valve by which the pressure from the main pipe was to be reduced before reaching the slasher cylinders. The valve failing to work, the full pressure came upon the cylinders and these not being intended to bear such high pressure, naturally gave way. Mr. Mitchell states that steps have been taken to prevent the possibility of any such accident in the future. He also states that this method of transmitting power to some distance is not at all new. Mr. Mitchell was greatly pleased yesterday when he found that not a single employee was injured. As for the damage to windows and slashers, that can be easily repaired.

**LOWELL MILL DIVIDENDS**  
The dividends recently declared by the Lowell mills are as follows: Appleton, 5 per cent. Dec. 15, regular semi-annual; Bigelow Carpet Co., 5 per cent. Jan. 1; Hamilton, 2½ per cent. Aug. 1; Massachusetts, regular dividend; Merrimack Manufacturing Co., regular dividend; Middlesex mills, nothing; Tremont & Suffolk, 4½ per cent. last year.

**WOOLEN MILL MACHINERY**  
An American consul in Canada reports that a woolen mill project in his district has reached the stage where its promoters are inquiring into the merits of various makes of knitting machine and carding machinery. The company will have a capital of \$50,000 and will employ 50 operatives. Municipal concessions have been secured on its behalf. American catalogues will be sent.

# IN JOINT INSTALLATION TOWN IS SUBMERGED

## OFFICERS OF THREE COUNCILS OF UNION ST. JEAN BAPTISTE DEAMOROUS TOMORROW

A joint installation of the officers of the three local councils of Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amérique will be held at C. M. A. C. hall tomorrow afternoon. The ceremony will be public and all are invited to attend. Notable speakers will be present and a varied entertainment program will be carried out. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and will be presided over by Joseph Cote of Salem, Mass., president of District Council No. 4. The affair will be held under the auspices of Council Carillon, and it is hoped a large gathering will be present. Among the speakers will be: Mayor Belletier of Salem; Joseph Cote, the presiding officer; Joseph P. Montminy of this city, substitute to the president; general; Rev. J. B. A. Barette, O. M. I., of Notre Dame de Lourdes, parish, and many others.

The councils to be represented are J. N. Jacques, Carillon and Laval. The officers of Carillon council to be installed are: Rev. Augustin Gratton, O. M. I., chaplain; Joseph Carrier, honorary president; Ernest Rousseau, president; Joseph Tremblay, vice president; Jesse Alexander, secretary; Ovide Leclerc, assistant secretary; Louis Asselin, collector; J. U. Morin, treasurer; Octave Gaudy, master of ceremonies; Alfred Simon and Norbert Marchand, marshals; Martial Parent and Frederick Desrosiers, auditors; Dr. D. S. Lelievre, physician.

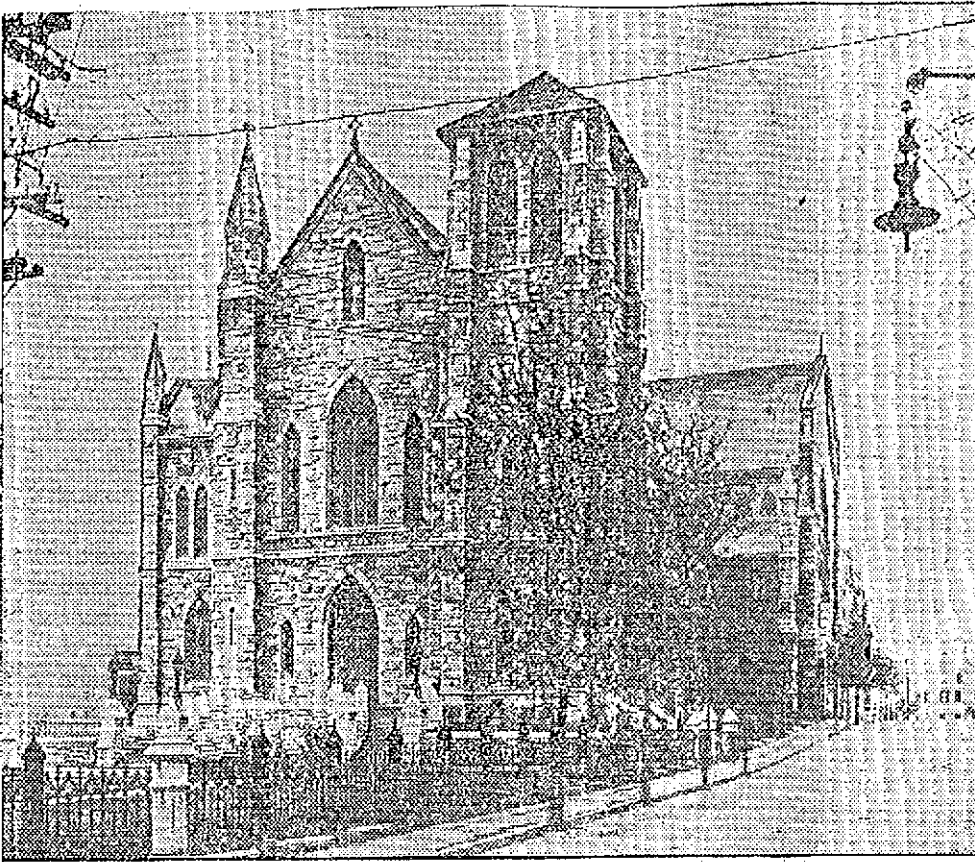
**FIRST TO PAY INCOME TAX**  
John C. Roth, Chicago Hotel Manager, is Prompt to Settle With Uncle Sam

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—The first person to pay the new income tax in Chicago and perhaps the first in the United States was John C. Roth, who settled with Uncle Sam yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Roth is general manager of the company operating the great Northern hotel, South Dearborn street and West Jackson boulevard.

Scarcely as to the amount of income declared regular dividend of \$20 a share, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record at the close of business Dec. 23.

# Many Improvements to be Made on Immaculate Conception Church



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

The last year proved to be a very constructive one for the Immaculate Conception parish, for though there was no church or school building, as in some other parishes, the parochial property was gone over thoroughly and many important changes made. About a year ago a building expert who was called in regarding some immediate repairs that were to be made on the roof, discovered that owing to forgetfulness of the future at the time of its construction, there was danger as some of the roof supports were unsound. Consequently the work of entirely renovating the roof was commenced and completed and the people were very

generous in their moral and financial support of the scheme.

Beautiful confessionals were also substituted for the old ones in the lower church and the roof here was also attended to. The entire church was then painted and decorated in a scheme of artistic simplicity which makes it one of the most beautiful in Lowell. Owing to repeated leaks in the roof of the parochial school, a copper roof was put on in the most modern manner. Plans are being made for the coming year in order that the work so well begun may be carried to completion. All the large repairs have been attended to but there are several minor matters that need attention before the building will be entirely renovated. Owing to age the heating system is inadequate and may fall at any time and in all probability it will be replaced by an up-to-date system in a few months. The retaining wall for one of the ornamental supporting terraces is in poor condition as is apparent by the bulging of the granite blocks, and this also must be torn down and replaced. When these and a few other details are attended to the Immaculate Conception church will be in as good shape as when first its graceful outlines were admired. The grounds are among the most artistic and novel in the city and their perfection is the result of constant care and attention.

# HAD SET MANY FIRES

## Youth in Georgetown Arrested for Setting Several Destructive Fires—Has Confessed His Guilt

HAVERHILL, Jan. 10.—The mystery surrounding the several damaging fires which have occurred in Georgetown during the past year was solved last evening when Charles A. Robinson, aged 20, a resident of the town and an employee of Walter P. Atkinson, who conducts a lumber yard there, confessed to the state police that he had set three fires including one at his own home, and another at the place where he worked.

**Started Probe of Fires**  
The last blaze was on Wednesday morning when the Atkinson lumber yard and storage house was destroyed with a total loss of over \$5000. Probes on previous fires having been unsuccessful, the state police were called and they, assisted by C. J. Eaton, chief of the Georgetown fire department, instituted a searching investigation, their

suspicious finally resting on young Robinson, who it is said had a mania for fires when a child.

He was questioned closely and finally confessed that he had set not only the Atkinson fire but two others. He told the police that on June 17, he set fire to the residence of A. D. Noyes, when a \$5000 loss occurred.

On Dec. 21, he said he set fire to the house he lived in, which was owned by his grandmother, Mrs. Rodney Rogers and Mrs. Albert Rogers. This fire was discovered early and the loss was \$1000.

Last Wednesday morning the lumber storeroom occupied by W. E. Atkinson and owned by Mrs. C. O. Noyes was destroyed in flames. It was completely destroyed with a loss of \$4500. Atkinson and \$1000 loss to the Noyes. Robinson said that he set the three fires and gave no excuse except that he was unable to control his desire to do it. He was placed under arrest after his confession and brought to this city.

# REPORT ON MINE STRIKE

## Federal Investigator Says Profits of Calumet & Hecla Company Are Extremely Large

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Profits of the Calumet & Hecla Co., which employs more than 50 per cent of the miners in the Michigan copper district, were characterized as extremely large in a report on the copper strike submitted today to Secretary Wilson by Walter B. Palmer, an investigator of the department of labor.

Palmer reported that the general average of day wages paid by all the companies throughout the year was \$2.50. Some of the smaller companies, he declared, were operating at a loss. Prior to the present strike he found the general workday was of 10 to 11 hours and some of the miners were paid as low as \$2.35 a shift. Some other classes of labor were paid as low as \$2.00 a shift. The summary of the investigation made public today at the department of labor details the work of Palmer and also that of John B. Densmore, solicitor for the department and Special Agent John A. Moffitt, who were later sent as mediators.

**Congressional Investigation**  
Secretary Wilson today declined to say what the next step in the department's participation in the situation would be, although he intimated that the reports of the investigators might become the basis of a proposed congressional investigation. In connection with the efforts of the department to mediate the reports of Moffitt and Densmore, the report says, show:

"That suggestions were made that the managers of the companies meet the representatives of the miners with a view to affecting a mutual settlement."

"That the whole question in dispute be submitted to arbitration and no member of the Western Federation of Miners be selected on the board."

"That the companies agree to re-instate all of the workmen without discrimination relative to their being members or non-members of the union."

"Each of these propositions as made were accepted by the representatives of the miners as a basis of settlement but were rejected by the representatives of the companies on the ground they would not deal with the Western Federation of Miners or have any of its members in their employ. The companies on Dec. 1 posted notices to the effect that hereafter the minimum wage rate would be \$3 and the hours of labor per day \$3.

"The data contained in this report was collected prior to the shooting at Seabrook, the shooting at Palmside, the Calumet tragedy at Italian hill on Christmas eve and the deportation of Charles H. Meyer and does not include any reports on these matters."

After reviewing the preliminaries which led to the strike the report says:

"Before the strike began, J. A. Cruise, sheriff of Houghton county had sworn in about 420 deputies at the request of the mining companies, nearly all of them employees of the company. That number was increased after the strike began until it numbered about 1750 on November 1. The companies also imported from other states a large number of armed guards."

**Strikebreakers Imported**  
"The first strikebreakers were brought in by the Quincy Mining Co. During the latter part of September other strikebreakers were engaged in Chicago. Many of these men made affidavits that they did not know there was trouble or a strike at the place they were to work. During October many strikebreakers are brought in by the Calumet-Hecla Co. and some for other companies. Two made affidavits that deputies at the point of a gun compelled them to go from Superior to Calumet."

"Some of the smaller companies have been operating at a loss but the largest company in the region, the Calumet & Hecla company, which employs upward of 50 per cent of the total number of miners engaged in that region, has had extremely large profits."

"The Calumet & Hecla company has provided a number of welfare agencies for their employees' benefit. The employees of its subsidiary companies have use of the library and bath-houses. The company has built ten school buildings which are used as public schools and an armory. It has

# FUNERALS

**GILL**—The funeral of Thomas J. Gill took place this morning from his late home, 11 West Ninth street at 8:15 and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Dennis Murphy. In attendance at the funeral was a delegation from the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church consisting of John Hegan, Daniel Redding, Martin D. Sullivan and Patrick Redmond. Delegation from Court General Shields, F. of A. were Hugh Fluerty, chief ranger; Owen Morris, James E. Lang and John J. McCall. The burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Among those who sent flowers were: Wife and children, Merrimack packing room, Frank Murphy, Rose Riley, Mary and Margaret Hinkley, Mr. and Mrs. Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Gill, Miss O'Neill and Tom Walsh.

Those coming out of town were: Mrs. John O'Neill, Daniel Murphy, Wakefield; Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, Lawrence.

**GAUTHIER**—The funeral of Sinae Gauthier took place this morning from his home, 25 Beall street, at 9 o'clock. The cortege proceeded to St. Louis church at 9 o'clock, the celebrant being Rev. J. E. Labossiere, assisted by Rev. L. C. Dehard as deacon and Rev. E. J. Comeau as sub deacon. The burials were in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**WOOD**—Jarvis Wood an old resident of this city, passed away last evening at the home of his nephew, James Wood, 2 Lombard street, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 11 days. Mr. Wood was born at Glosop, Derbyshire, England, and came to this city in 1874, living here most of the time. He is survived by three grandchildren, one nephew and one niece.

**McOSKER**—Died in this city, Jan. 10, at St. John's hospital, Mary (McQuade) McOsker. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Francis M. and John J. McOsker; also one sister, Mrs. Isaac Plummer, of St. Mary, Canada, and one brother, Christopher McQuade, of Ireland.

**FUNERAL NOTICES**  
**WOOD**—Died in this city, Jan. 9th at the home of his nephew, James Wood, 2 Lombard street, Jarvis Wood, aged 71 years 2 months and 11 days. Funeral services will be held at 2 Lombard street on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William J. Saunders.

**PROVENCER**—The funeral of Napoleon Provencer will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 103 Mammoth road. High mass of requiem at 9 o'clock at St. Columba's church. Friends invited. Burial in St. Mary's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

**FROST FOR PADEREWSKI**  
Portland, Oregon, Fails to Hear the Pianist—Insufficient Support is the Reason Assigned

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 10.—Paderewski did not give his recital in Portland last night. Insufficient support is the reason assigned. The pianist guaranteed \$500 a performance, but it was a proposition of Paderewski himself that the concert be cancelled. The pianist will not play to a third or a half house. To get the best results he must have a large audience and the advance sale showed that there would be only a handful of people present.

# FREE GERMAN OFFICERS ST. RAILWAY MAN

## Fred Crowley, Elected President of the Joint Conference

### Court Martials Acquit All Military Men Charged With Breaches of the Law

STRASSBURG, Germany, Jan. 10.—Court martials this afternoon acquitted all the German army officers charged with breaches of the law in connection with the recent violent incidents between civilians and military at Alsace; the military jury in all cases accepting the word of the officers against the sworn testimony of the civilian witnesses.

Colonel Von Reuter, commander of the 99th Infantry, was charged with wrongful imprisonment but the court found his acts justifiable and set him free.

Lieutenant Schad, accused of striking a prisoner, also was released by the same court on the ground that the charge had not been proved.

Lieutenant Baron Von Forstner won his appeal before a second court-martial against the sentence of 14 days' imprisonment imposed on him on Dec. 10 on a charge of sabring a lame shoemaker and was given his liberty.

The justification of Col. Von Reuter's acts was based by the court on a decree issued by the king of Prussia in 1870 which gave the right to the military to intervene without waiting for a request from the civil authorities in case the latter were powerless to suppress disorders.

The decree was issued at the time of the Holy Alliance which existed from 1875 to 1893 between the European sovereigns and was intended to perpetuate the reigning dynasties and prevent revolutions.

Col. Von Reuter's retention of the civil prisoners over night, although recognized by the court as illegal in itself, was considered justified because the transfer of the prisoners at night might in the opinion of the court have caused serious disorders and perhaps bloodshed.

The military judges trying Lieut. Baron Von Forstner decided that the crippled shoemaker had made a threatening remark to the officer and when they heard the testimony of one of Von Forstner's men who swore that he had found a pocketknife in the shoemaker's pocket they declared that Lieutenant Von Forstner had been justified in sabring the shoemaker.

At the joint conference composed of delegates from every division of the Bay State Street Railway, Motorman Fred Crowley of this city, president of the local Street Railway Men's union, was chosen to act as president of the organization.

Delegates representing every division of the Bay State street in Boston at least once a week for the purpose of discussing matters of importance to street railway men and also what can be done to improve the conditions of the union. The election of Mr. Crowley to the office of president shows the esteem in which he is held by the railway men in this section of the state and also reflects much credit on the work of the local union.

**International Officers**  
President Malone, head of the International Railway Men's union is in Boston at the present time and will remain there until some agreement is reached. An attempt is being made to have Mr. Malone attend the smoker which is to be held here next Tuesday night. Mr. Fred Fay, another international officer, has promised to be present and address the members.

# NAPOLÉON PROVENCER

## PENSIONED PATROLMAN OF LOWELL FORCE DIED THIS MORNING

Napoleon Provencer, a pensioned patrolman of the Lowell police force, died this morning at his home at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Mammoth road. Deceased was 58 years of age and had been in ill health for some time. Death was due to an acute attack of pneumonia.

Officer Provencer was appointed to the force Dec. 16, 1884, and retired by Mayor O'Donnell on April 30, 1912. He was born in Millbury, Mass., on Aug. 6, 1855.

Deceased was one of the best known residents of this city. He had been troubled with heart disease for a number of years, but last Monday he seemed to improve, and although he had been confined to his home for some time, he was able to go out for a short walk. His outside trip, however, was fatal, for he caught cold and was taken with pneumonia.

During his service in the police department, Officer Provencer proved to be a valuable man, and on many occasions he was complimented for his efficient work. On April 30, 1912, he was retired on the pension list by Mayor O'Donnell and since that time his health has been poor.

Deceased was an attendant of St. Columba's church and counted a host of friends in this city, who will be grieved to learn of his demise. He

# BANK HEARING

## Resumed Before Sec. McAdoo and Sec. Houston in Boston

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Secretaries McAdoo and Houston, constituting the special committee under the new federal reserve banking system, gave New England bankers a two hours' session today in which to complete the presentation of their case in favor of a regional banking district under the new currency act and to offer suggestions as to its location.

The preponderance of evidence brought out at yesterday's session favored the establishment of such an institution in Boston. A majority of the bankers advocated the inclusion of all six New England states in the territory, although a few bankers from southwestern Connecticut declared their financial allegiance to New York.

Western Massachusetts and Vermont were expected to tell today whether institutions in their sections desired to be included in the Boston or the New York district.

Only a few persons attended the hearing today. The bankers who were expected to speak for western Massachusetts and Vermont did not appear.

George W. Harriman of this city laid before the committee a plan for the division of the country into ten districts supplementing his remarks with maps and charts worked out in great detail. He included all six New England states in one district with its center at Boston.

# BREAK IN NEW HAVEN

## CAUSED BY SUPREME COURT ORDER—GENERAL MARKET WENT OFF BUT CLOSED EARLY

The market closed firm. Having overcome the initial depression occasioned by the break in New Haven, bull operators bought with increasing confidence and ultimately succeeded in realizing the level of prices well above the opening range. Certainty as to the outcome of New Haven's efforts to provide for its financial needs made specialties—especially stocks and bonds. The outstanding six advanced four points. Aside from the New Haven's issue, the widest movements were in specialties. Tobacco issues were heavy. Texas company gained 5-12. New York Central sagged to \$21-8, within a fraction of its low record for 20 years. Bonds were firm.

**CROSS-EXAMINATION**  
Lawyer—The cross-examination did not seem to worry you. Have you had any previous experience?  
Client—Six children.—Kansas City Star.



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## OBJECTIONABLE DANCES

The news columns of the daily press have been giving wide publicity to recent events both in this country and abroad which show that opinion as to the propriety of the "tango" and other modern dances is still very much divided. In some churches not many miles distant the pastors have come out in open condemnation and Boston society puts its semi-official ban on the extreme tendency towards unrestrained by banning the new dances from the assembly parties which began in this city a short time ago. On the other hand one hears approval of the new dances from people that would not consciously approve anything degrading, immodest or vulgar, and the press stories are by no means confined to events that show unreserved condemnation.

In London recently a strong feeling had grown up against the new dances which were being patronized by fashionable society. Many eminent churchmen at first protested against them. Even the court which still influences the social side of English life showed disapproval in many unmistakable ways. Acting on the presumption that much of this opposition came from those who disapproved without having seen or understood, one of the London theatres gave a special matinee performance "for the edification of pious persons and church dignitaries." After several exhibitions of the dances, a vote was taken, and the result showed 731 in favor to only 21 against. As the identity of the voters was not revealed it is not certain that these votes represent the opinions of the bishops or the nobility, but it would undoubtedly represent the feelings of the average theatrical audience, were the new dances given as spectacular features devoid of vulgarity.

This incident of the London theatre contains the whole argument for and against the new dances. They may be danced gracefully and modestly and as interpreted by the vulgar or the virtuous they may be made disgraceful exhibitions. Not infrequently the same dance hall reveals both types of dancers and dances. Realizing, perhaps, that the tendency cannot be eliminated easily once the feeling of abandon has got into the minds of youth, many groups of refined people have taken lessons in the new dances so as to learn them without their objectionable features. As danced by such people, they may be unobjectionable, but unfortunately two pairs of dancers who abuse the liberty of the tango and other new dances may and do discredit all who dance on the same floor. The result is that rightly or wrongly the modern steps have become identified in the public mind with exhibitions of ungraceful and disgraceful vulgarity.

It may not be practical to banish any special dance from public dance halls but it is possible to ban what is objectionable regardless of the name of the dance. The modern dances are simply an expression of the animal spirits that break out in the singing of rag-time songs. The fault is, in the last analysis, more with the dancers than with the dances. Even the old fashioned waltz may be danced objectionably by those who have only a slight regard for public decency. There is a limit beyond which public toleration will not go, and the aim should be to set a higher standard and see that if the new dances are indulged in, they be performed without their objectionable features. If the tango and kindred steps cannot be danced without descending to vulgarity, then they should be prohibited entirely and absolutely.

To understand the feeling back of some of the objections one need only read the effect of the waltz and the other round dances on the public when they came to supersede the minuet in the days of our grandmothers, and to-day we regard the dances then considered immodest as the acme of propriety. Remembering this, the aim should be not to condemn new dances merely because they are new, but to rid them of their objectionable features.

## THE FALL RIVER LINE

One of the minor matters that keeps Attorney-General McReynolds and Chairman Elliot of the New Haven road from reaching an agreement relative to the dissolving of the New Haven monopoly of the transportation of New England, is a lack of understanding concerning the proposed separation of the properties of the New Haven railroad and the New England Steamship company. The government up to the present has insisted that such a separation must take place and the officials of the road are equally insistent on the retention of some of their steamship lines, alleging that possession of them does not conflict with any existing law.

Should the railroad be compelled to give up its holdings in the New England Steamship company, control of the Fall River line would pass out of its hands. Undoubtedly the government would strive to get this line under the management that would be in keeping with the ideals of the administration, but there is no indication

that the service to the public would be improved thereby, and betterment of the public service is the only consideration that would justify abandonment of the Sound lines. The public call for rehabilitation of the New Haven does not emphasize the abandonment of the Fall River line as being necessary, far to the people of the region served by this public service company it has been a great benefit.

The Fall River chamber of commerce has sent a telegram to the attorney-general protesting against the insistence of the government on this head and stating that the separation would hurt Fall River and all New England. The mass of public opinion in this region stands back of this protest for though the reorganization of the New England railroad properties is a crying need, the reform expected and desired does not include the abandonment of the Fall River line and the other Sound lines by the New Haven. In this the public is prompted merely by a desire for good service, and if the government insists on its first stipulation, there will be general discontent until the Sound lines are run as efficiently as at present or more so.

## THE FORD GENEROSITY

The Ford Motor company of Detroit has attracted universal interest by its declaration that it will divide approximately \$10,000,000 of its estimated earnings for the coming year among its employees, who number about 25,000, with the result that all who at present receive less than \$5.00 per day will receive that as a minimum wage. In addition, the working hour schedule of nine hours per day will be reduced to eight and the factory will be run continuously for six days per week in eight hour shifts.

The idea of the company is to make each employee a stockholder, paying him profits not on his financial investment but on his efficiency and the faithful discharge of his duty. The principle is the application of what is being called by some of the papers "social justice." The New York World calls it "a recognition of capital's implied obligation to labor." It is a new departure that will ensure the very best results in labor and loyalty from the employees but it is doubtful if it will be followed to any extent by other companies or even continued by the Ford company through the less prosperous years that are sure to come to all industries.

There is one side of the question which cannot fail to strike the thoughtful who view it from all angles. It is contained in the question of a contemporary which asks: "How could they make such profits?" The man who views the declared generous purpose of the company in an impersonal way may admire, but the man who contemplates buying a car will naturally wonder why, if the company has millions to give away from its annual earnings, it does not let the public get a slice of the melon by reduced prices. This is a very selfish but a very human and timely view of the much advertised beneficence.

## THE PILLSBURY SITE

Whatever action is taken with regard to clearing the atmosphere surrounding the legal status of the selection of the Pillsbury site for a contagious hospital, it looks as though the matter will eventually be submitted to the citizens of Lowell either through the referendum or the initiative. The dismissal of the bill in equity brought by the Bolyere petitioners simplifies the situation considerably though it does not prevent the bringing of a like proceeding if such should be again desired at a future time. If the vote of the last municipal council is allowed to stand, both sides might well agree to the referendum which would allow the people of the entire city to vote on the matter. If the vote of the last council is rescinded, those in favor of the Pillsbury site will have recourse to the initiative which will compel a special election. The situation is rapidly simplifying itself into two considerations: The city must build a contagious hospital, and the electorate is to decide whether it will be built on the Pillsbury site or some other. It must not be forgotten that the Chelmsford street site is eliminated owing to the expressed disapproval of the state board of health.

## MAKING NEW LAWS

The history of last year's legislature is full of warning to the members of the incoming session for there has rarely been a time of greater legislative activity followed by such poor results. Days and days were wasted in laws that will have as direct a result on the lives or interests of the people as would a law to prohibit the cow of the nursery rhyme from again jumping over the moon. It is the privilege of all of us to be represented at the legislature by a bill, if we can get somebody to introduce it, but it is a parody on law-making to frame laws that are shut up in the pages of the statute books until resurrected by some local antiquarian. It is a sufficient reflection on the members of the legislature that some of them occasionally vote for a bill which they do not un-

derstand, without their being obliged to saddle responsibility for laws that are needless, if not ridiculous. There are real needs sufficient to bar the introduction of "frank" bills.

The man who mockingly says: "Snow, snow, beautiful snow," will be pointing to the slush on the streets, forgetting that, like many other beautiful things, it came fair and pure from heaven and was marred by the mire of the earth.

Here, many say, we see the evils of over-educating the masses; in Mexico they are reaping the fruit of keeping them in ignorant serfdom. Which country has the better end of the bargain?

The academic Boston Transcript recently said in a news item: "He committed suicide shortly before he had planned to go to a New Year party." Did this come from a Spiritualist reporter?

Who said something about the local burlesque of the great idealist and the great Commander of the national administration?

Hope your cold is better.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

## THE PARTY SPLIT

Worcester Post: Senator Bristow of Kansas, Rooseveltian, now announces his return to full republican allegiance. Since Victor Mordock has decided to run against him for senator, Bristow is, evidently, from regular republican aid than from divided loyalty. But out in California things seem to be fixed up inside the third party with Governor Hiram Johnson to again run for governor and Francis J. Henry for senator.

## SINKING COOPERATION

Municipal Journal: The majority of cities distribute to their householders

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PARCEL POST Woonsocket Call: Parcel post is a sensational youngster. It has just passed its first birthday and such sturdy growth has never been seen in a government activity. It started a pulling infant to compete with the express companies, which for many years have handled all the large and small packages which grow and grow rich and arrogant. Indeed this assurance, expressed through high prices and a dilatory service, was the cry of the parcel post's coming into existence.

IF ETC. Lowell Sun: If a considerable number of women would read law and come to understand the great legal principles on which rights are asserted and enforced, their superior position in debate on public questions would compel respect for their arguments and go far to make it desirable to have them vote.

TO REPEL WASTES Lynn Item: The Massachusetts Forestry association will introduce a bill in the legislature to provide for the reforestation of the million of acres of wild forest lands which now produce nothing commercially valuable and scarcely anything of value through taxation. In offering their bill they present several cogent reasons for the passage of such a law. While a million acres are now unproductive more land is becoming waste every year. Private owners cannot afford to reclaim this land, many towns are poor to undertake it, and the state is the only agency that can deal with the problem.

RIDERS ON BILLS Salem News: Riders on appropriation bills, according to a Washington dispatch are to be given no privileged status in the supreme court. The decision was rendered by Chief Justice White, in passing on a "rider" to the southern civil appropriation bill of 1901, whereby the treasury department officials were directed to follow the court's decision in "all" claims.

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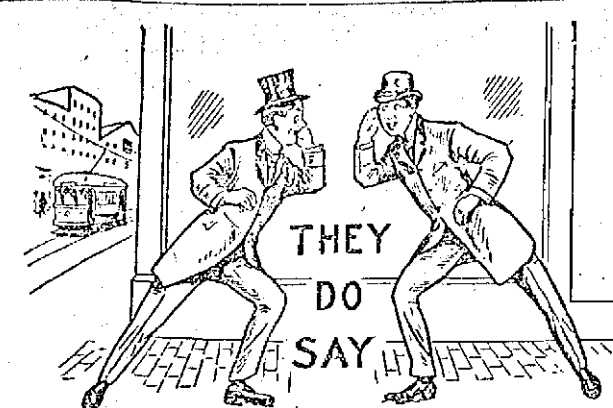
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That the Sun noon edition is increasing in circulation.

That the ice dealers would welcome a week or two of cold weather.

That Commissioner Donnelly allows he will enjoy the change.

That all the local national banks have approved the new currency bill.

That "Bob" is not struck with the glasses worn by his friend, Winfred.

That Mildred Champagne fairly bubbles over with wit and humor.

That the mildest of men have been heard to call for devilled ham.

That the cops on the ice house beat can keep busy by catching cold.

That the lodgers say the new hair mattresses are a great improvement.

That under the new tariff as under the old one mills make only one cent.

That it was a great gathering of old timers at the Mathews the other night.

That the St. Patrick's day convention tomorrow will not favor a parade.

That a few hustlers like Andrew Welch would help any great movement.

That the Courier-Citizen is not slobbering all over Mayor Murphy without a motive.

That the fourth degree knights are sharpening up their appetites for the banquet.

That once more the stage is about to be elevated, with Sec. Cull as the elevator man.

That the committee in charge of the local carmen's smoker has arranged a great program.

That plans are being made for several elaborate camp openings this spring.

That the "kiddies" certainly enjoyed the skating at Shepley park while it lasted.

That the animal dances appeal to a lot of silly geese, asses and others of that ilk.

That changing votes is becoming one of the most popular indoor games at city hall.

That the recent banquet of Highland council, R. A. was one of the most successful in the history of the council.

That the Federal baseball league is doing a wholesale job on the old National league.

That Lowell men will attend the banquet to Governor Walsh in Worcester Monday night.

That Speaker Grafton Cushing put one over on the astute Martin of ward 8, Boston.

That the breaking up of the Kenny rallies by Curley cohorts doesn't help Curley a little bit.

That Jack Geraghty was elected alderman, qualified and then resigned his job in short order.

That C. Oliver Barnes was "there" with the anecdotes at the armory the other night.

That the linen shower today at St. John's hospital will undoubtedly be a great success.

That bachelor Elks without partners for the coming affair need only apply to E. O. Dawson.

That John Golden is making the arrangements for his coffin to be held next month.

That the inspector of "animal dances" was conspicuous by his absence at the cops' ball.

That Tom Hoban put a rabbit on the hook and Fred Snow hollered: "Come boys, I hooked a muskrat."

That the drive against Thomas Duckworth as superintendent of cemeteries still continues.

That Col. Carmichael's familiarity with evil service matters will stand him in good stead.

That the thought of changing his occupation worries the man who has crossed the 10 line.

That Lorin M. Fuller will make a very competent regent of the Highland council, R. A.

That the sleigh-ride party by the employees of Saunders' market Thursday night was an enjoyable affair.

That the past week has been the record for the number of installations of officers in the various societies and lodges.

That there was many a fall between the "parlor" and home last Sunday night.

That considerable interest is being shown in the election of officers of the senior class of the high school.

That the entries in that Christmas diary are getting just a little shorter every day.

That the members of the C. Y. M. I. speak highly of the entertaining powers of the C. Y. M. A. of Lawrence.

That the explosion in the Prescott mill like some other local explosions was the result of hot air pressure.

That Judge Wait didn't wait long to throw the weight of his judgment against the bill in equity.

That many a poor chap made a New Year resolution to wear his Christmas neckties for the sake of family peace.

That the only way to get a woman to keep a secret is to refrain from telling it to her.

That Mayor Murphy's inaugural suit was up to the minute. John J. Sullivan, Lowell's leading tailor, made it. That's the answer.

That a number of local boys can be

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That many Lowell people do not want to lose the late train from Boston, although it is not very well patronized.

That the work of the Middlesex county training school had last Sunday night was highly appreciated by a large number of people.

That a few of the pioneers are still hanging to the water wagon, although the jolts are numerous and the going is rough.

That the Franco-American societies are making arrangements to donate stained glass windows for St. Jean Baptiste church.

That Wilmer is still waiting for that letter from Canada which was mailed from Montreal with a United States special delivery stamp.

That the installation of officers at the Lowell Musicians' union tomorrow afternoon will be a great event in the history of the organization.

That the girl with the fur coat and the low cut waist is one of the anomalies that have puzzled men since the days of Adam.

That Mona Lisa is the only girl who came back home for the past year or two without accusing somebody of having drugged her.

That an itching for social distinction, insincerity of pose, egotistical complacency and pretended political astuteness make a nauseating combination.

That others besides the Billerica people would like better car service. They got it in Dracut, but there's a reason.

That the Southern New Hampshire drinky cars are about as uncomfortable a conveyance as was ever run up Merrimack street.

That it is cheaper to have a little sand on the streets on key mornings than pay claims out of the city treasury.

That the girl who tells you she is willing to run the chance of having her heart broken is telling the truth—perhaps.

That His Excellency, Governor David I. Walsh may resign if he finds out he is not "squaring with the ideals" of our erudite neighbor.

That Supt. Michael J. Dowd's reference to the "and of the road," as he said, it was quite impressive at the Mathew anniversary this week.

That the title "Liquor Inspector" is to be changed to that of "Inspector of Licensed Places" lest some misundestand its meaning.

That Jim "Buster" Brown has declined to play "Shylock" in "The Merchant of Venice," and will continue to dispense drugs.

That the liquor inspectors will sample all food served at the hotel tomorrow to make sure that it is not Portland cement nor paper-mache.

That the waitresses in Page's dining room would like the management to put a knob or "pull" on that door entering the kitchen.

That a certain cop whose friend assured him that Mayor Murphy said he'd get a day route is still wondering on the late night shift.

That Pete McMenimon's bachelor party at "Joe" Drogan's camp near Lawrence a few evenings ago was a hummer.

That bosses may come and bosses may go but John Bowers, John Bessington and Tom Teague go on forever and are always there with the goods.

That the many friends of popular "Tim" Regan, the Liberty Square blacksmith are deeply regretting his critical illness.

That the friends of Thomas H. Boyle are rejoicing over the news that he has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to leave St. John's hospital.

That the playing of Officer Clark in the position of inspector of "animal" dances has led to a discussion as to whether or not the "turkey trot" is an "animal" dance.

That Manager Arthur H. Johnson's courtesy and consideration to customers at the Ticker-Jaynes store here is such that he has his new position at the firm's store in Boston.

That if some of those refined young ladies could see themselves dancing the "tango" in all its ramifications, they would turn away with horror and disgust.

That "Jimmie" Hearn's friends will be glad to learn he will soon be able to leave the hospital. He has had a long siege of it, but comes up smiling, as usual.

That the riding on the electric cars between here and Nashua is extra heavy on Sundays. Pile ups of the fact that the Hay State company was losing money on that particular line.

That Mayor Henchey of Woburn thinks that a police signal system ought to be installed, so the "cops" wouldn't have to come off their beats to bring the unfortunates to the station.

That the proposed campaign among local Catholics in aid of St. Elizabeth's hospital in Boston has also served the purpose of attracting public attention to the needs of St. John's hospital of this city.

That Lowell will be painted, decorated and papered on Jan. 11, 12, 13 and 14, when delegates of these crafts will meet here for their annual conference.

That employees of the street department were throwing sand on the sidewalks yesterday afternoon when spokes would have served the purpose better.

That one of the Boston and Maine billing clerks has not bought any tobacco since his recent marriage because he's saving up to buy a tobacco plantation.

That the Elks propose to make this year's annual ball even a bigger event than last year and that to insure success, "Joe" Burns, John J. Lee and some of the other hustlers have made last summer's outing famous have been placed on the ball committee.

At noon, call for a copy of the noon edition of the Sun, on sale at all news stands.

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Uric Acid Never Caused Rheumatism



## JEFF TESREAU, LOSING SALARY RAISE, WILL JUMP TO FEDERALS



JEFF TESREAU

Jeff Tesreau, the giant pitcher of the New York Nationals, has decided to jump to the Federal league, according to latest reports. Jeff, the "Ozark

mountain bear cat," is disgruntled because Manager McGraw has refused to re-engage him at a large increase in salary.

## RESCUE WOMAN

Boston Fireman Brought Her Through Flames to Street—Big Fire

BOSTON, Jan. 10. In a fire which started in the basement of the four-story brick apartment house at the corner of Palmouth street and Massachusetts avenue yesterday afternoon and worked its way through a light well to the roof, two aged women were carried from the building through dense smoke, two men taken down from the third-story window by firemen or ladders and one fireman was injured by the explosion of an acetylene light before the flames were extinguished with a loss of \$5000.

Owing to the lively manner in which the flames shot up through the light well to the roof two alarms were sounded as precaution to prevent the spread to the apartments next door.

The street floor and basement are occupied by Joseph H. McManus as grocery and liquor store. When the flames were discovered they had swept through the basement to the well and sent volumes of dense smoke through the three apartments in the building.

### Carried Out on His Back

On the top floor of the building Mrs. Susan Murn was visiting Mrs. S. A. Marston, an aged woman who lives with the family of F. H. Howes. When the two elderly women heard the cries of fire they started for the stairway, but Mrs. Marston was unable to make her way. Ladderman Thomas E. Flannigan of Ladder No. 13 carried up the stairs and placing the elderly woman on his back brought her to the street.

In the meantime Charles McKenna,

who is employed in the Boston Storage company across the street, rushed into the building to aid in getting the women out of the house. So dense was the smoke that McKenna and an unknown man were unable to make their way down the stairs. They went to a window on the Palmouth street side on the third floor and stood on the window sill until brought to the street by firemen.

Mrs. Margaret Conay, 77 years old, and her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Fallon, were partially overcome by smoke and were found on the stairway. Mrs. Fallon occupied the second apartment, and while assisting her aged mother to the street she was aided by Miss Mary Faulkner and Miss Irene Monahan.

On the third floor lived Mrs. C. B. Morse, Miss Minnie Unglaub and Miss Marijole MacDonald. Mrs. Morse and Miss MacDonald escaped without assistance.

Miss Unglaub arrived during the height of the fire, having been to Bathing on a trip. Miss Unglaub, who stands sponsor to Jerry McCarthy, the mascot of the Red Sox team, was greatly worried when she found her home on fire.

Chief Mullen greeted Miss Unglaub when she succeeded in getting through the fire lines and gave her special permission to visit her apartments to ascertain what damage had been done to her property.

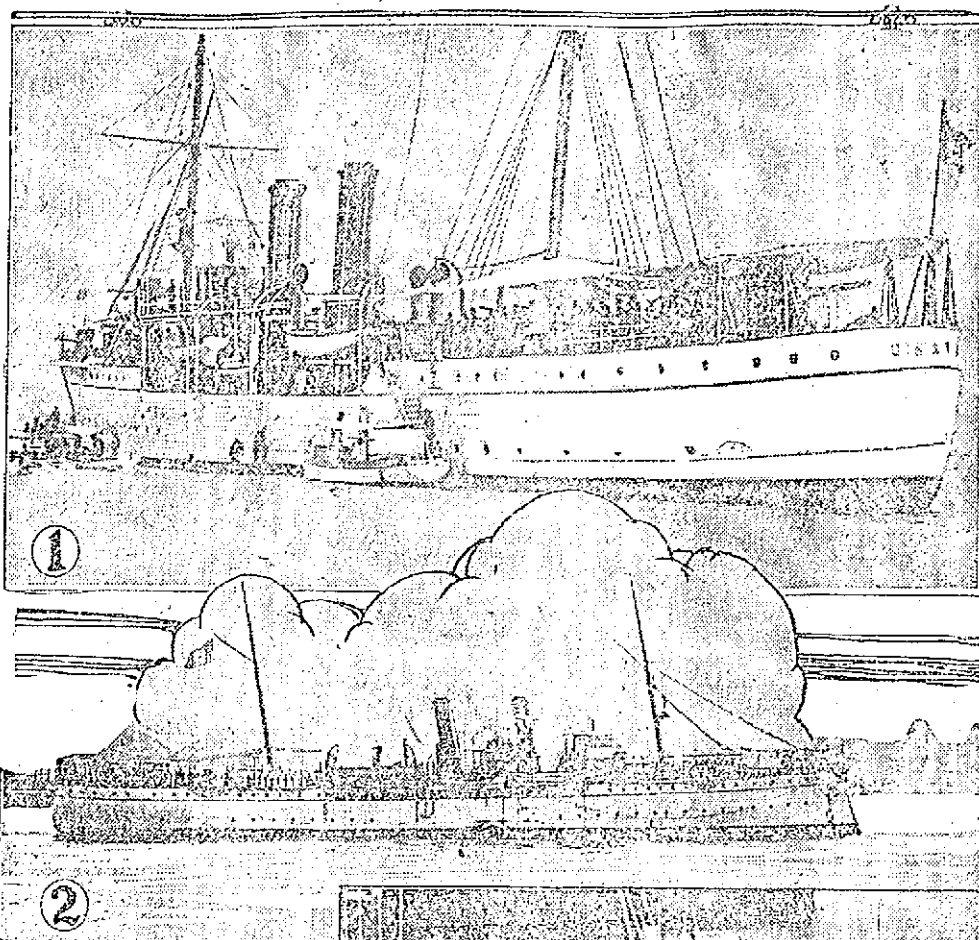
Deputy Chief McDonough then escorted Miss Unglaub to her rooms where the damage was mostly done by water.

While at work in the cellar Ladderman John Kennedy was injured about the face by the explosion of an acetylene lamp. He was not seriously injured enough to go to the hospital, being treated at a nearby drug store.

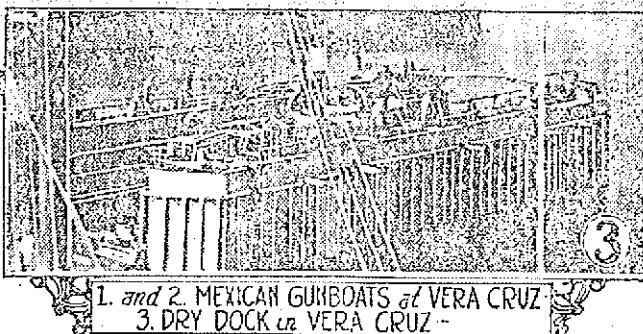
### SUBSCRIBE FOR FRENCH BOND

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Public subscription is to be opened on Jan. 31 for \$40,000,000 of four per cent. bonds forming part of an issue of \$300,000,000 guaranteed by the French government for the improvement of the Western State railroad system.

## FIRST PHOTO OF MEXICAN WARSHIPS AT VERA CRUZ, AND HUERTA'S DRY DOCK



VERA CRUZ, Jan. 10.—Two of the Mexican gunboats are lying off here, ready to proceed to any threatened coast town at once. They took part in the defense of Tampico and Tuxpan recently. In case of injury to these craft, so important to the Huerta cause, they can be repaired in the Vera Cruz drydock. The news that the United States will send still more warships and marines here has caused much comment.

1. and 2. MEXICAN GUNBOATS at VERA CRUZ  
3. DRY DOCK at VERA CRUZ

## LODGE FOR NAVY YARD

BIDS UNNECESSARY IF LOWEST BID DOESN'T GET THE JOB, SAYS SENATOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Senator Lodge has been to the navy department for a talk with Secretary Daniels about pending award for a supply ship for the navy. The senator learned that the bid of the Boston yard was considerably lower than any bid received either from a private yard or from a navy yard, but that the secretary was hesitating and indeed felt disposed to give it to some other bidder. His reason for doing this was that the Boston yard bid was prob-

ably lower than the work could be done for.

To this Senator Lodge replied that the bid of the Boston yard had been made up by a very competent naval constructor and approved by Captain McKim, commandant, who is a practical man. The Boston yard was equipped for the work and Senator Lodge said he could see no good reason why it should not be given the work because of its low bid. The department should go to the trouble of asking for bids. The senator added that congress would probably make some inquiries, or at least some discussion would be started there, if the Boston yard was now deprived of the work.

Representative Murray of Boston who was in town today called at the navy department. Secretary Daniels told him experts were at work analyzing the bids and the contract would be awarded to the yard whose

bid seemed most advantageous to the government.

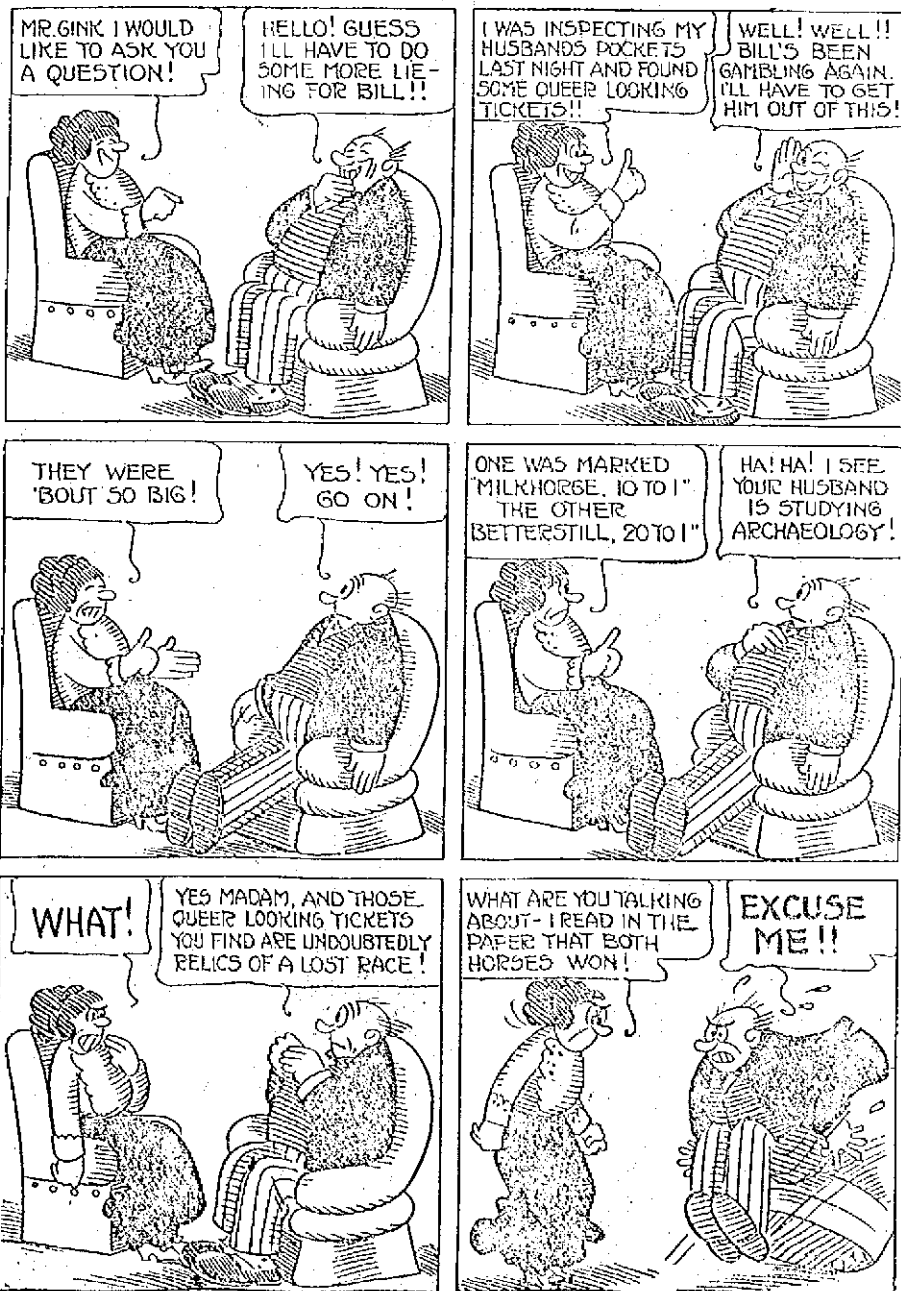
### SAYS HUSBAND THREW DISHES

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Because she declares her husband, Albert H. H. French, a prominent Malden merchant, continually stayed out late at night and gave as an excuse that he was attending church, Mrs. Annie R. French of 460 Main street, Malden, yesterday filed a bill for divorce.

She states that Mr. French threw dishes and biscuits at her, pulled her hair and choked her and ejected their children from the house.

They have been married 12 years. Mrs. French wishes the custody of her four children, Gladys, aged 15; Albert, 14; Beatrice, 14, and Phillip, aged 12. She claims that her husband has not supported her or the children for several years.

## EXCUSE ME



## LAVIGNE SOLD TO MEMPHIS

Former Lowell Catcher Goes to the Southern League

Was Popular Here, but Desired a Change—Now With Mike Finn



CATCHER LAVIGNE

Arthur Lavigne, at one time the mainstay of the Lowell catching staff, has been sold to the Memphis club of the Southern league by Manager Jimmy Gray. Lavigne was very anxious for the sale as he is especially desirous of playing in the Southern league.

Last season Lavigne played but little in Lowell although he was still owned by the local club. Manager Gray was well supplied with backstops in Daly and Thomas and Lavigne was loaned to the Lynn club during the 1913 season. Prior to reporting here he was with Milwaukee in the American association but found the going too fast for him to stay up.

Although Lavigne would have strengthened the Lowell club behind the bat next season he did not want to play ball here and the management wisely decided that they would dispose of him as soon as a reasonable offer was made for his services. When Mike Finn, manager of Memphis, broached the subject there remained nothing to be decided except the price. As Finn wanted Lavigne badly he snapped up the terms offered by Manager Gray without any argument.

Lavigne is a Worcester boy and is quite prominent just now in bowling circles. During his stay in Lowell he proved very popular with local fans and has many friends in this

city. Lavigne's principal asset is his great punning arm and his ability to use it on base runners.

## THE WHITE WAYS WON TO ARBITRATE

DEFEATED EAST Y. M. C. A. TEAM ON ASSOCIATION ALLEYS BY A LARGE MARGIN

The White Ways and the Y. M. C. A. rolled off one of the best bowling contests that the season has seen here this winter when they met on the Y. M. C. A. alleys last night. A new record was set up by the White Ways quintet, who won the game by the score of 1130 to 1350.

From the clash of the first ball with the pins at the end of the alleys the contest furnished all sorts of excitement. Kirby and Myrick led off for their respective teams and an individual battle developed between these two men that was hardly inferior to the struggle between the two teams. Myrick made a cleanup in all three strings, never going below the 100 mark and making every ball count. His total of 333 last night was one of the best ever put up on these alleys. Kirby rolled the high single of 115. The score:

	Y. M. C. A.	WHITE WAYS
Kirby	83	115
Myrick	81	102
Duggan	75	72
Freeman	92	81
Kiltredge	88	60
Totals	419	432

BIG NINE CONFERENCE  
LAPAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 10.—That the Big Nine conference colleges will be asked to employ a man whose duty it will be to assign officials at athletic events between conference teams by Purdue university, was the statement made today by Hugh Nichol, athletic director at Purdue. Under the present plan the officials are chosen by the home team with the approval of the athletic director of the visiting team.

"Such a plan," said Mr. Nichol, "would do away with the tendency on the part of the officials to favor the home team in order to win popularity and a return engagement." The plan would require prospective officials to take an examination in the rules of the game to prove their efficiency.

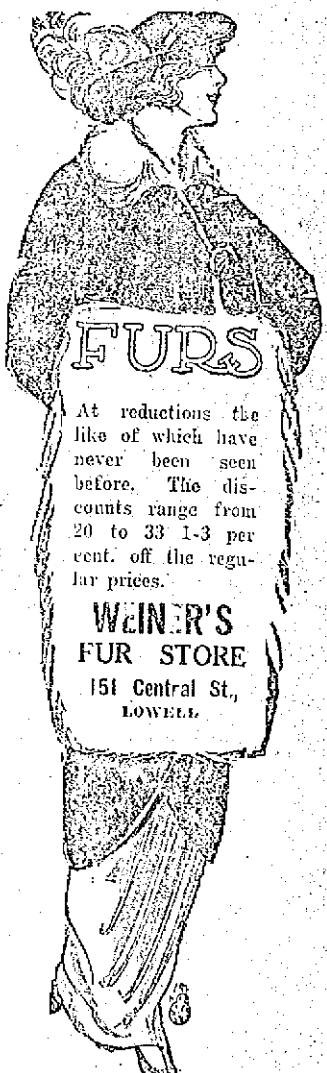
"This system," said Mr. Nichol, "would instill in the mind of the public a confidence that all games are officiated without favoritism."

### CURFEW FOR ALL UNDER 16

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Children under 16 years of age should not be allowed on the streets after 9 o'clock at night without a good and sufficient reason, and the city should establish an ordinance that would put into force this purpose, according to Mrs. J. A. Fowler of 364 Columbia road, Dorchester, who has begun an agitation to that end. Mrs. Fowler is an active member of the Dorchester Women's club and the Dorchester Historical society. She believes that the women, and particularly the mothers, should organize in a movement to secure an order in the city government providing that no boy or girl under 16 may be about the streets after 9 o'clock. Such an ordinance might be tried for a period of three or six months, she suggested, and if it be found not to work satisfactorily then it could be revoked.

Garmentworkers and Manufacturers Agree to Submit Grievances

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Owing to pressure brought to bear by disinterested parties in the interest of peace in the cloakmakers' industry, the International Garment Workers' union and the Manufacturers' association, itself both decided to submit to the joint arbitration board the differences which have started controversy in the industry. That controversy centers upon the demand made by both the international union and the manufacturers that Dr. Isaac Hourwich, the chief clerk elected by the Cloakmakers' union, be dismissed from office. Louis D. Brandeis of Boston is chairman of the joint arbitration board.



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LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY

Preparing for Great Midwinter Event on January 27—Fine Program Prepared

The Lowell Choral Society has had in preparation for its mid-winter concert, which occurs on Tuesday, January 27, two noteworthy cantatas. One is an old friend, viz: "Fair Ellen," by Max Bruch, which is the story in song of the siege of Lucknow. The other is a new work by the genius S. Coleridge-Taylor, entitled "A Tale of Old Japan," and is full of the beauties and dramatic effects which characterize his compositions set to the Hawaiian story of Longfellow. The concert is of almost local interest, because it was inspired by the beauties of a June day on an automobile drive in the southwestern part of Massachusetts. The work is dedicated to Mr. Carl Stoeckel of Norfolk, Conn., who was the host of Coleridge-Taylor at the time. By the way, it will be of interest to know that Mr. Stoeckel is interested in the production of this work by the local society. As a gift, he loaned the society 50 copies of the score when he found it was having difficulty in renting enough to supply the chorists.

As to the talent which will aid the society, it may be said that it has been the aim of the executive committee to group of vocalists equal in excellence to any which may have appeared at previous seasons. For this concert there has been secured Miss Grace Kerns, one of the leading sopranos in New York. She has appeared as soloist with the Worcester Oratorio Society, the Handel and Haydn society, and many other choral societies of recognized standing. She is described as a singer with a phenomenal voice power, and great cultivation, and "possesses a lyric voice of great brilliancy and sweetness, added to which is a rare ability to interpret."

Mrs. Ada B. Child of Boston is the contralto, and is known to music loving people of the city. She has an exceptionally pure contralto voice, rich in quality, is "an acknowledged artist" with a "wonderful range and resonance of tone which gives delight to her hearers."

Arthur Hackett, tenor, is favorably known throughout New England, and has appeared in Lowell before. The press in various parts of the country praises his fine musicianship, and interpretive ability. He appeared at the McDowell Peterboro festival last August and, with Mr. Werrenrath, sang "A Tale of Old Japan" and other works. Retold Werrenrath of New York, the baritone, needs no introduction to Lowell people. His previous appearance with the Choral Society scored him a success, and his singing at the Canobie Lake festival last September won hearty approval. The last summer he was with Frank LaFarge, the European pianist and composer, on an European tour of six weeks, and the series of recitals given was one continuous triumph. His reappearance here with the Choral Society will be hailed with delight.

The work of the chorus will be better than ever, and the concert program between the two cantatas will be a rare treat to concert goers.

The exchange tickets are now for sale by members of the society.

## LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Thomas H. Lawler, late of Lowell, in said County deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court for Probate, by Grace A. Lawler, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of January, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each issue of the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and my said official duty in delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

F. M. ESTE, Ass't. Register.

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## PIGGERIES OBJECTED TO

Mayor Wright Orders Them Moved Onto Land Inside the Worcester City Limits

WORCESTER, Jan. 10.—As the result of a protest from the selectmen of Shrewsbury to the state board of health, Mayor George M. Wright issued orders yesterday to the overseers of the poor to remove the municipal piggeries at the Home Farm from land in Shrewsbury onto land inside the city limits. Part of the Home Farm extends over the line into the town of Shrewsbury and the superintendent of the farm has used a portion of this Shrewsbury land as a site for a piggery.

Residents of Shrewsbury object to the presence of so many hogs in their midst, chiefly because of the odors that arise from the garbage that is fed to the swine during the hot summer months.

In issuing the orders for a removal of the piggeries, the mayor instructs the Home Farm officials to locate them on the most isolated portion of the farm and to construct the feeding troughs in such a way that they can be washed every day.

## STEAMSHIP IS SINKING

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 10.—In response to wireless call reporting "Steamer Connet sinking off South Shoals," the Acushnet left New Bedford for her assistance.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## NEW HAVEN'S BONDS VOID REGISTER HUMAN BEINGS REV. C. R. SKINNER

Supreme Court Annuls Decision Which Authorized Issuance of \$67,000,000 Bond

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The \$67,000,000 convertible bond issue recently authorized by the Massachusetts Public Service commission, on which the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad had relied to place its finances on a permanent basis, was yesterday afternoon declared illegal, and the public service commission's order annulling by the supreme court of Massachusetts.

The supreme court's decision is a victory for Morgan G. Bulkeley, former governor of Connecticut, on whose appeal the question came before the court, and an endorsement of the position taken by George W. Anderson of the public service commission in his minority report.

One effect of the decision is to make null and void the New Haven "rights" which have been selling in the market at about 1 1/2, and which have been traded into a total of hundreds of thousands of dollars. All transactions in the sale of the bonds themselves are also rendered null and void, they having been conducted "when and if issued." These transactions have gone up into the millions. Only yesterday, at the close of the market, the bonds were selling strong at 103 3/4.

When the bond issue first came before the public service commission last September, there were predictions freely made that the failure of the board to ratify the issue would force the New Haven into bankruptcy. One Boston banker told the commission that a panic would follow the rejection of the bond issue. When it became evident that the issue, though passed by the commission by a 4 to 1 vote, was in danger of being delayed, if not rejected, by the supreme court, the New Haven directors provided for temporary financing to meet the \$40,000,000 of short term notes which were soon due by negotiating a loan with J. P. Morgan & Co. for six months.

It was said yesterday that the action of the supreme court left two courses of action open to the New Haven.

One is to appeal to the legislature to change the financial sections of the railroad act of 1912 so as to allow the public service commission to authorize convertible bonds. In connection with this possibility it is pointed out that the supreme court in the decision yesterday took pains to state specifically that they do not hold that convertible issues in general are illegal and that they do not deny that they may be a highly desirable form of security, but that under the statute they cannot be issued.

"This," says the court, "is a matter rather for legislative than judicial consideration."

Should this course be adopted by the New Haven, a vigorous fight at the state house is predicted. Commissioner Anderson, in discussing the court's decision last night, said he could not conceive of the legislature adopting any legislation which would make such an issue legal.







## THAT \$100,000 LOAN

BLOOD STAINED AXE  
FOUND NEAR BODY

Woman Slain on Barge at New Bedford—Captain Held Without Bail on Charge of Murder

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 10.—Charles Matron, captain of the barge Snipe, was held without bail today for a hearing Jan. 21 on the charge of murdering Annie Welsh last night. Louis Therrien, who called the attention of the police to the crime, was held as a material witness.

According to the police, Matron and

the Welsh woman met in the back room of a saloon last night, the woman later accompanying the captain to the Snipe.

When the police boarded the barge they found the woman's body dismembered. Matron's clothing was saturated with blood and a blood-stained axe was found in the cabin.

## DROPPED DEAD

Noah R. Swain Died on Branch Street This Afternoon

Noah R. Swain of 36 Grove street dropped dead early this afternoon in the barber shop at 37 Branch street. The deceased had just stepped into the shop and taken a seat when he fell forward and was dead before the ambulance could be summoned to take him to the hospital. Mr. Swain was 75 years of age and had been in delicate health for some time past.

## TO INSTALL OFFICERS

The installation of officers of the Lowell Musicians' association will be held in the rooms of the organization in Central street tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock. The members of the municipal council as well as other prominent citizens have been invited to attend.

At the close of the installation a social hour will be spent and speeches and an entertainment program will be provided for by the entertainment committee which is headed by James Buckley. A luncheon will also be served.

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MAYOR MURPHY SAYS  
THE CITY DEFAULTED

Commissioner Brown Says No and Will Introduce an Order to Pay it in Cash—Ald. Morse Starts Cleaning Up the Business Streets—The Cook Wells to Close

Commissioner George H. Brown announced this afternoon that at the special meeting of the municipal council to be held Monday forenoon, he will introduce an order for the payment in cash of the \$100,000 due on the temporary loan. The order will read as follows:

Ordered by the municipal council as follows: That the city treasurer is herewith authorized and instructed to pay immediately \$100,000 and accrued interest being the amount due on the temporary loan, this amount to be paid in cash on hand at present in the general treasury.

## The Mayor's Statement

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy will call a special meeting of the municipal council for Monday for the purpose of arriving at something definite relative to the handling of the temporary loan. "The \$100,000 note, the renewal of which was voted by the council for 1913," said the mayor, "was advertised yesterday in the Boston News Bureau

by the First National bank of Boston, and, as I understand it, there were no takers. Brokers and others haven't very much use for short term notes. This note has gone by default, for a note of this kind could not be protested, and we have got to make good in some way. There were but \$47,000 in the treasury on Jan. 1. City Solicitor Hennessy and City Treasurer Sellen have gone to Boston today to see what they can do about it."

"The city council went to the legislature a year or two ago and asked for relief in this way, but the legislature refused to act. It was stated at the time that the legislature's refusal was due to the fact that representatives from here were not in sympathy with the council. I am going to arrange for a conference with our local representatives with the purpose in view of having them work in harmony

with the municipal council. I am satisfied that the city of Lowell cannot get along on the \$12 tax limit. It is necessary to increase it in order to raise money for departmental expenses and it is just as necessary that some arrangement should be made to relieve the temporary loan situation."

## Brown Blames the Mayor

In the very wake of the interview given by Mayor Murphy came a message from Commissioner Brown, stating that the \$100,000 could have been paid in cash out of the general treasury if the mayor had not refused to sign the draft. "The auditor," said Mr. Brown, "made out a draft and signed it on Dec. 31, for \$100,000, and the draft was sent to the city treasurer. It was later sent to the mayor for his signature, and if he had attached his signature the money could have been paid out of the city treasury, but the mayor refused to attach his signature. There is over \$112,000 in cash in the general treasury at the present time. As to the city being defaulted in the sum of \$100,000, I have my doubts. I do know that no notice of any such thing has come to this office and no bids on the note have been received here."

Asked how he figured money enough in the general treasury to pay the

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Third Edition  
SEVEN KILLED AND  
THIRTY-SIX INJURED

Outbreak in Diamond Mine at South Africa—Armed Farmers and Troops on Guard

JAEGERSFONTEIN, Union of South Africa, Jan. 10.—Seven native laborers in the diamond mines were killed and 36 wounded in an outbreak here this afternoon. A few whites also received injuries.

The trouble had no connection with the strike of railroad men but arose in a dispute about the death of a Basuto, which was said to be the result of a kick from a white man.

The whites were driven by the na-

tives into a tunnel of a mine, where they defended themselves. In the meantime the natives destroyed the huts in their compound.

A body of 500 armed whites then came on the scene and dispersed the natives after a sharp fight.

The town is now under the control of a detachment of armed farmers from the surrounding country who are supported by a small force of regular troops.

## JOCKEY BRADY EXPOSITION LECTURE

Will March on City Hall and Demand Work—Tells of His Plans

"Jockey" Brady, said to be the spunkiest little man in Lowell, is out of a job and being an original as well as a spunky little man, he will march on city hall Monday morning with an army of "kiddos" that would make the most enthusiastic Rooseveltian jealous to the core.

Jockey says he has the largest family of small children of any small man in Massachusetts and he allows that if he wanted to take a chance at free speech like members of the municipal council he might extend his territory to include the whole of New England.

Jockey is very well known about Lowell and everybody who knows that he's a hustler and always has been. Despite the fact that he never weighed more than 90 pounds when wringing wet he has appeared many times in the state arena and has always given a good account of himself. Even Jimmie Gardner, the greatest fighting machine the country ever knew, used to wonder where Jockey got the punch. Jockey used to knock 'em out right and left, but that was in the olden days. He quit the fighting game to raise a family and he was just as successful at that as he was at the fight game.

"I am looking for a job," said Jockey this afternoon, "and I want to say right here and now that the city owes me a living."

When I say that dear Miss Lowell owes me a living, I mean that she owes it more to me than any other man in the city, because she has the distinction of having with her the champion small-father of Massachusetts and, as I said before, I might include the whole of New England.

"I have six children and they represent six good reasons why I should be given employment. I remember of reading at one time of a man who was arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court, for drunkenness. The judge asked him how many children he had and the fellow in the gilded cage replied that he had eight, whereupon the good judge told him that the children represented eight good reasons why he should keep sober."

"I am going to city hall Monday to demand employment. I will have the six children with me, not looking like Cox's army, but dressed in their Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes. They are five department heads at city hall and I will put a kiddy in each of the offices. That will leave one to the good and I will have to look around to find a place for him. Perhaps on account of the mayor being the head one I will oblige him with two. Then I will tell them that they will have to take care of my household of offspring until they give me work."

Best music, Monday, Prescott.

LECTURE BY DR. BARNES

Dr. Francis J. Barnes, member of the board of trustees of the Massachusetts School for Feeble-Minded, will lecture before the School for the Training of Social Workers, held in connection with the evening school conducted by the Young Men's Catholic Association in Boston College High school, James street, on Tuesday evening. His topic will be "Hereditary and Environment as Factors in Social Progress."

On the following Thursday evening a lecture of special interest to nurses will be delivered by Charles Logie, chairman of the schoolhouse commission.

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CENTRAL STREET

TO BE GIVEN AT LOWELL BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS TO MANUFACTURERS

George W. Danforth, assistant chief of the departments of manufacturers, machinery and varied industries of the Panama-Pacific International exposition will address the manufacturers of this city next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the board of trade rooms in the Central block. Secretary Murphy received a letter this morning stating that Mr. Danforth was desirous of meeting the manufacturers of Lowell and he immediately sent out invitations to a large number. However, all who are interested in this exposition which is to be held in December, 1915, are invited to be present.

The letter reads as follows:

Jan. 9, 1911.

John H. Murphy, Secretary, Board of Trade, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Murphy: Mr. Danforth, assistant chief of the departments of manufacturers, machinery and varied industries of the Panama-Pacific International exposition, is desirous of meeting the manufacturers of Lowell on Wednesday next. Would it be convenient for you to arrange to have them see him at the rooms of the board of trade some time Wednesday?

Mr. Danforth comes as an expert representing the exposition, equipped to give information to manufacturers relative to the best methods of making exhibits, the benefits that may result from exhibits, and on practically every point that relates to the industrial features of the exposition. It is his desire to meet the manufacturers of machinery and electrical appliances, especially. He carries no lantern slides or other paraphernalia. He will not make a set speech, but will answer questions and make explanations, after giving a general outline of the plans of the department of manufactures.

Please notify me by telephone what arrangements you can make for this meeting.

Very truly yours,

C. O. Power, Secretary.

NEW TRAIN SCHEDULE

FROM MIDDLESEX STREET STATION TO TAKE EFFECT MONDAY

—AN IMPROVEMENT NEEDED

According to the new time table of the Boston & Maine railroad which will go into effect Monday, Jan. 12, the trains for Boston on the Southern division will leave Lowell at 1:45, 2:30, 3:55 and 4:20 p. m.

By this arrangement there is no train on this division between 2:30 and 3:55 p. m. a space of one hour and 25 minutes. It seems that the Boston & Maine management might improve the local service by lessening the long interval between these two trains.

The changes in the schedule are as follows: Trains leaving Lowell for Boston at 2:34 p. m., 4:30 p. m. and 7:43 p. m. will be beginning Monday leave here at 2:30 p. m., 4:20 p. m. and 7:41 p. m. respectively. The train that previously left Boston for Lowell at 7:23 a. m. will leave the Hub at 7:14 and reach this city at 8:21. One change has been made on the Portland division. The train which now leaves Boston for this city at 9:35 p. m. via Lowell Junction will leave Boston at 9:59 p. m. and reach here at 11:03 p. m. The train leaving Lawrence at 10:10 p. m. for Lowell will leave at 10:10 p. m. and arrive here at 11:03.

The matter of discontinuing the 12:05 a. m. train from Boston known as the late theatre train is now before the public service commission and what action will be taken is not yet known.

Only dance in town, Mon., Prescott.

## EXAMINATION POSTPONED

THE CANDIDATES WILL BE NOTIFIED WHEN IT WILL TAKE PLACE

The civil service commission was to hold an examination at city hall Monday for police, janitors and other schedules. The applicants have been uneasy and making all kinds of inquiries from Col. Carmichael who after calling up the commission found that the examination has been postponed but why he was not informed. The candidates will be notified as to when the examination will be held.

## Telegraphic Brevities

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Arrived: steamer LaTorraine from Havre.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 10.—George F. Reed, general manager of the Springfield St. Ry. Co., died this morning after an illness of four hours. He was 47 years old.

LONDON, Jan. 10.—James Bryce, formerly British ambassador to the United States who was raised to the peerage on New Year's day has taken the title of Viscount Bryce of Dechmont.

TOKIO, Jan. 10.—The Japanese government today declared it was opposed to the withdrawal of all foreign troops from China as suggested by the Russian government on Dec. 15.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 10.—Mrs. John R. Walker, honorary vice president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, died at her home here today on heart disease.

QUINCY, Jan. 10.—An error in replacing the turbines in the Argentin battleship Rivadavia is expected to cause another two weeks' delay in her final speed tests off the coast.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 10.—President Herrmann of the Cincinnati club announced that John Doud, who played third base for the locals last season has been relegated to Louisville.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—A. J. Dolan, third baseman of the St. Louis Nationals, has signed to play with the Baltimore Federals. It was announced today by Manager Knabe of Baltimore. Knabe said he had wired an offer to

Pitcher Otto Schabel of the Chicago Nationals.

PRESIDIO, Texas, Jan. 10.—The situation at Ojinaga, across the international line, where Mexican federal forces are awaiting attack by constitutionalist forces under Gen. Francisco Villa, was unchanged today. The rebels had not appeared.

LISBON, Portugal, Jan. 10.—Eight prominent Portuguese monarchists escaped during last night from the ancient fortress prison of Coimbra, where they were incarcerated on a charge of conspiracy. The fugitives included Col. Monteiro, Captains Motta and Velgo Ferreira, Dr. Curdorio Ramos, and a priest named Vieira.

DETROIT, Jan. 10.—Secretary of State William C. Bryan of Toledo arrived here today as a guest of the board of commerce. After luncheon he delivered a brief address on the "New Era." He expected to leave tomorrow for Jackson, Mich., where he will be the principal speaker at a Jackson day banquet.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—If no more smallpox develops in the detention camp at Delaware breakwater for sailors from the battleship Ohio, the quarantine will be raised on Jan. 27 when all hands will return to the ship. No case has developed in the Delaware camp since Jan. 2.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The Earl of Kintore, chairman of the executive committee of the Anglo-American exposition, a proposed feature of the centennial celebration of peace among English speaking nations came here today on the steamer Battle to confer with the American committee. He will spend about a month in New York, Washington, Boston and other large cities of this country.

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 10.—The exchange of telegrams yesterday between Charles H. Mover, president of the Western Federation of Miners, and Governor Ferris of Michigan was not entirely satisfactory from the federation viewpoint. The men who have been directing the strike of copper miners today were believed to criticize the governor on the ground he had made a proposition and then "had winked the other eye at it."

PETITIONED INTO BANKRUPTCY

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Addison L. Aldrich of Boston and Herbert L. Tripp of New Bedford, doing business under the name of Cobb, Aldrich Co., were petitioned into bankruptcy today by three creditors whose claims aggregated \$1468.



## THE SPELLBINDER

The inaugural exercises on Monday were given added interest by the delivery of two inaugural addresses, one by the incoming mayor and the other by the ex-mayor already in, and now known as commissioner of finance—Alderman Brown. Mayor Murphy lost a great opportunity in failing to denounce the practice of jorjoring in municipal automobiles. With Mayor Miller of Quincy, he might have condemned the practice of taking a \$1000 automobile to a 25-cent dinner or upon nightly jorjoring to return in need of repairs in the early hours of the morning. A heavily on this subject, delivered from the high chair at city hall, would interest a whole lot of people.

## The Hospital Controversy

The hospital fight goes on merrily, but it is difficult to say where it will end. By the application of the referendum the city treasurer is forbidden to pay for the Pillsbury estate under the purchase made by last year's city council. Many of those who signed the referendum papers did so under the impression that the whole matter would be referred to the people at a special election, but such is not the case.

It is clear that the whole purpose of the referendum petitions was to delay and suspend the taking effect of the vote on the Pillsbury lot until the new city council should appear. The former city council had done, and just as soon as the new city council appears that action. If it does so, the referendum petitions would have no further force or legal effect and no election would be held. People who want the Pillsbury place purchased for a hospital site ask nothing more than that all of the voters be given the chance to say "yes" or "no" on the subject, and this chance and privilege can come to them only by having the necessary number of voters sign the initiative petitions which are in circulation.

Apart from the merits of the dispute the varied proceedings in the case will familiarize the people with the provisions of the new charter. Those who want a special election will have to sign the initiative papers issued by Walter G. Gorman, real estate agent in the Central block. Should a special election be held it is certain that the selection of the Pillsbury site would be sustained as every other section of the city would vote in favor of that site.

## The Oakland Sewer

The people of the Oakland want the sewer system that was spooled of some years ago installed in West Central avenue. There is an unsolved sewer problem in that district that Alderman Morse would gladly tackle if given the opportunity; but the administration is pledged to strict economy and cannot touch any such heavy undertakings without violating its pledges. However, after we get a new bridge at Pawtucketville, a new hospital, a new public hall, a new high school, a new industrial school, more smooth paving and a new park in West Centralville, then this Oakland sewer problem may be favorably considered.

## The Negat Chair

His Honor George H. Brown, commissioner of finance, does not like to see His Honor Mayor Murphy assume the regal dignity of the throne chair from which he can look down upon his colleagues. Ex-Mayor O'Donnell never used this throne chair, preferring to get down on a level with his fellow members. But if Mayor Murphy persists in the use of this chair, he may receive an occasional "kick down" from the commissioner of finance unless the latter has provided with a similar high chair on the other side of the chamber. The small boy will naturally inquire whether the officials who use high chairs at city hall require to be strapped in.

## Parading the Appropriations

There will undoubtedly be a lively scramble among the heads of city departments to see how much money each can get for the present year. There is a loud call for street work but no money; while Supt. Morse, the big-hearted alderman, has to wait the pleasure of the other members and the commissioner of finance before he can get any large sum of money to work on. There is a rumormongering to do as much as possible for the department of public safety, streets and public property and as little as possible for schools. I do not believe the citizens will countenance any move of this kind for while they want good streets, more sewers and more municipal buildings, yet they want the schools maintained in good condition and would not tolerate any policy by which the work of educating the children might be crippled by lack of money. But the commissioner of finance says there is money enough, so perhaps after all there is no ground for apprehension. He should know.

## Should Examine His Conscience

A few days ago the "Political Straw" man of the Courier-Citizen actually took The Sun to task for not mentioning Mayor Murphy's name more often in the city hall reports. Perhaps his name was mentioned more frequently than his Honor would wish, but, be that as it may, the incident recalls to my mind a story that fits the case. Daniel O'Connell, the great champion of Ireland's rights, on being mentioned in a complimentary way by the London Times, declared in a public speech that whenever that paper mentioned his name with ordinary respect, he retired to the seclusion of his chamber to examine his conscience in order to ascertain whether in any word or act he had been unfaithful to his country or his people. While I do not make any comparison between Daniel O'Connell and Mayor Murphy, yet I believe the latter may well ask himself, "What have I done that I should be so lauded by the Courier-Citizen?" Mayor Murphy in this case has more reason to examine his conscience than ever did Daniel O'Connell.

## Guard the City Line

Mayor Murphy has announced that he will investigate the appointment of three men from the civil service list to the supernumerary police force by ex-Mayor O'Donnell shortly before going out of office. If the present mayor finds the appointments illegal he will at once discharge the men; but otherwise he may have the consolation of treating them as dead-end cases and placing them somewhere in the suburbs to see that no night-marauder shall steal the city line. The civil service commission should be notified that with the present administration it is held to be of more importance how the candidates for appointment voted in the last city election than in the percentage they ob-

tained in the civil service examination.

## "Legacies" to Mr. Harlow

I notice that retiring County Commissioner Marden has issued a lengthy statement, purporting to be "Reform Legacies" turned over to Commissioner Harlow. They are presented as matters which Mr. Marden says were "muddled over" in various discussions among the commissioners while originating mainly with Commissioner Williams. In point of fact, they are mainly the reforms that Commissioner Harlow has been advocating, the chief of which is his desire for the application of civil service laws to county institutions same as to state and municipal. Commissioner Gould points out certain county officers who could not very well come under civil service rules, such for example as the sheriff, court officers, clerks of court and the assistant and wife placed in each cottage at the county training school. It was never intended to have such officials under civil service.

Mr. Marden was appointed by Commissioners Gould and Williams, and is naturally interested in presenting any progressive ideas they may have conceived; but something more than the contemplation of changes is needed. Mr. Harlow will have some of the reforms put on the statute books. He will also have many important changes made in the internal affairs of the county unless overruled at all points by his two colleagues.

## The Gambling Bluff Exposed

I notice that a writer in the Courier-Citizen Political Straws misrepresents The Sun in a sneaky manner by separating a sentence from the context and saying it is a meaning it did not convey in the article. I had been discussing gambling in Lowell as described by Mayor Murphy in his campaign, and said:

"I should judge from Mr. Murphy's campaign declarations, there must be about 1000 professional gamblers in Lowell, all idlers who go about wearing the finest of clothes and without any other occupation but that of separating honest people from their money."

"Will Mayor Murphy allow this army of gamblers to pursue the elective franchise and to have the privilege of their wayward hands working wage earners, who need the money for the support of their families?" The Citizen writer quoted the last paragraph with this comment:

"Our esteemed contemporary across the way, while very reluctant, during the recent campaign, to admit the remote possibility of there being any gambling in Lowell, surprised its readers on Saturday with the statement:

"Nobly at The Sun office has had any reason to form a different opinion as to the manner in which the gambling lobby was used to bluff the public. The Courier-Citizen went to the aid of the misrepresentation of the conditions, while The Sun maintained, as it does now, that gambling was not nearly so prevalent in Lowell as represented by Mr. Murphy and his backers. Now, I find that in order to excuse the total absence of any attempt to suppress gambling the mayor's backers and apologists have been telling the people that the gamblers have been in town and in the very item referred to above the Courier-Citizen strawman tries to minimize the alleged evil, or rather to justify the tall lying in regard to the matter before election in the following words:

"We get the tip from well informed persons, that since the night of the election only one regular gambling place has been remaining in the city, and that a very tame affair, hardly worthy of the name."

The situation in regard to gambling is this: Before election Mayor Murphy held up the gambling lobby to scare the people. The papers that supported him did the same thing. Now The Sun upon Mayor Murphy and his political department to bust the gambling trust. He said was playing such havoc among the big game players of Lowell. But his press backers came out to excuse the inaction of the mayor and the police by saying there is no gambling in Lowell, or that the gamblers have fled the city.

I say there is just as much gambling now as there was before the election. That the inactivity of the police, taken in connection with the statements currently made during the campaign, that the gambling trust, all for political effect, goes to show that the gambling issue was pure bluff and without the semblance of sincerity.

## Political Considerations Paramount

The shakeup in this police department by which the men known to have been in sympathy with ex-Mayor O'Donnell are discriminated against, while those who were outspoken for the election of the present mayor have been transferred to all the most desirable places, is a notification that in the police department, at least, political considerations are paramount, and that men are not free to exercise their political rights without fear of retribution. If they happen to be on the losing side. One would imagine that the police department in which individual rights are, or ought to be, respected, would be the last to resort to any discrimination of this kind. But, after all, if the department does the things that Mayor Murphy has promised—perhaps this "raw deal" will be overlooked. As yet, however, none of the gamblers of whom so much was said have been hauled over the coals and tomorrow will tell whether there is to be any change in the manner of enforcing the law in the Sunday hotels.

## THAW COMMISSION

Hearing Held at Home of Dr. Prince, One of the Commissioners, in Boston Today

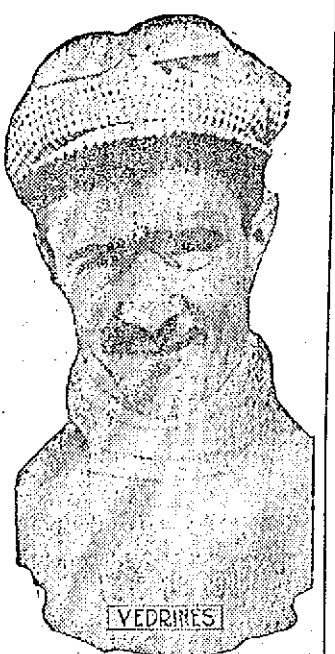
BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The commission named by Federal Judge Aldrich to determine whether Harry K. Thaw's mental condition would make him a public menace if he were released on bail met at the home of Dr. Morton Prince, one of the commissioners, here today. The conference was held because Dr. Prince's health prevented him attending sessions at Concord, N. H., where Thaw is in the joint custody of federal and state authorities. The proceedings were secret. It is expected the report of the commission will be presented to Judge Aldrich within a few days.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## NOTED AVIATOR

Who is Ordered to Fight  
Duel or Else Lose His  
License

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Jules Vedrines and Henri Roux, noted French aviators, are supposed to be the actors in the next real duel with real swords. No handkerchiefs will not be the weapons. Blood must be spilled. Both men made



wonderful flights from Paris to Cairo, Egypt, and Vedrines claimed that Roux told keepers at supply stations not to sell him oil, gasoline or food. He encountered Roux in Cairo and allowed one of his fists to intentionally encounter the face of M. Roux. Whereupon Rene Quinton, president of the French Aerial league, ordered the sky pilots to settle their grievances in a duel under penalty of losing their licenses. Vedrines, at first refusing, has now agreed to fight Roux when he returns to that dear Paris where the Bois du Boulogne affords many hidden corners suitable for holding death parties.

## BIG ROAD GRAFT

Is Revealed in the New  
York State Highways  
Department

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Road repair work which a state inspector estimated would cost at the outside \$3 a cubic yard was contracted for without bids by the state highways department at \$4.50 a cubic yard, an unnecessary cost to the state of about \$1200 a mile.

Another outside estimate of \$3.75 a cubic yard was raised to \$6.25 a cubic yard when let to contractors by state officials at Albany. This "graft" was at the rate of about \$2000 a mile.

This testimony was given yesterday by William G. Merritt, who was an inspector of highways in Ulster county from 1907 to 1912 in the John Doe graft inquiry here.

District Attorney Whitman characterized this as "the most important evidence yet brought out in the investigation." As it was evident that the alleged grafting was done in Ulster he suggested that the evidence be turned over to the authorities there. Merritt signed an immunity waiver before he was permitted to testify. When he was called to the stand on Dec. 23 he said he had been advised not to waive immunity and declared he saw no reason for surrendering any of his rights.

## MISS PANKHURST OUT

WAS RELEASED FROM HOLLOWAY  
JAIL, LONDON TODAY—SHE IS  
NEAR COLLAPSE

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Miss Sylvia Pankhurst was today released from Holloway jail where she had been a prisoner since January 6, when she was arrested in the East End. She was in a state of collapse as a result of a week's hunger strike.

## FIREMAN SAVED CAT

Jim Jantzen Climbed a Tree and Rescued a Cat After Three Days' Perch

Fireman Jantzen climbed a tree near Davis square today and rescued a cat which the humane society had been called to dispose of after three days' exposure in the tree.

The cat on being taken down was very weak as a result of the cold but Mr. Jantzen thinks the animal will be all right after a little good treatment.

## COMBS FORCE RED HAIR STYLE

Fifth Avenue Milliner Tells Why Paris Women Dye Their Tresses Brick Color

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Charles C. Kurzman, a Fifth avenue milliner, who returned yesterday by the Cinerama Lustrant, said the women of Paris were dyeing their hair brick red to make it contrast attractively with green side combs. There will be no bricks in the hair of the men; they will wear them as usual, in their hats. The newest Paris skirt is of the corkscrew variety, with spiral ribs. Long sleeves and shoulder straps were also popular.

ENGLAND RING CHAMPION, WHO  
WILL MEET GUNBOAT SMITH

Bombardier Wells, the English March. Wells was recently defeated by Georges Carpentier, but believes he can whip the American.

## PARIS ELECTION SCANDAL

EDITOR CHARGES MEMBERS OF  
CABINET WITH TRYING TO EX-  
TRACT MONEY FOR ELECTIONS

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Gaston Calmette, director of the Figaro, published in that newspaper yesterday a signed article accusing Finance Minister Caillaux of trying to extort money for electoral purposes from the heirs of a Frenchman named Priou, who died in Brazil 30 years ago after he had obtained a concession from the French government for the concession and sold it after Priou's death.

The man's heirs sued the government for compensation of from \$500,000 to \$800,000. Successive cabinets fought the claim and the heirs lost hope of ever getting the money. M. Caillaux summoned their counsel to a conference on Jan. 6, and is reported to have said that after studying the case he had come to the conclusion that the Priou family had been unjustly treated. The minister is said to have added that he believed more than \$1,000,000 was due the heirs of Priou at present. Explaining that the election fund of the present ministry has been exhausted and that heavy demands are pending M. Caillaux is reported to have said:

"If you make something as must we. The government has its rights as well as its duties."

## REPORT OF DEATHS

Jan. 2 Anna J. Rogers, 42, lobar pneumonia.  
Jeanne M. L. Therrien, 41, tuberculosis of lungs.  
Pascagla Meunier, 1 m, hereditary syphilis.  
Bernard McCuskey, 68, arterio-sclerosis.  
James F. Kennedy, 22, mitral regurgitation.  
Lavinia Townsend, 72, arterio-sclerosis.  
John O'Brien, 50, pernicious anaemia.  
James O'Brien, 70, cystitis.  
Margaret Gorman, 63, arterio-sclerosis.  
3 William Ford, 26, pulmonary tuberculosis.  
Ruth M. Ventor, 1 m, convulsions.  
Adolphe Gendron, 35, endocarditis.  
Mary Brooks, 63, diphtheria.  
4 Charles H. True, 55, hemorrhage of brain.  
Hannah Whitney, 53, senile dementia.  
Anna M. Curtis, 49, tuberculosis of lungs.  
Amy M. McCullough, 33, pulmonary tuberculosis.  
Clementine Ducharme, 33, pulmonary tuberculosis.  
5 Rashina, 1 day, adynamia.  
Elizabeth A. Buzzell, 32, endocarditis.  
Mary Sarua, 46, carcinoma of liver.  
John Karpovick, 33, typhoid fever.  
Marie Heriveluk, 1 day, congenital debility.  
Gertrude A. Davis, 4 m, leucocytosis.  
Samuel N. Kingsley, 66, hemorrhage of brain.  
Agnes M. Delano, 55, oedema of lungs.  
Dana P. Stacy, 70, cerebral hemorrhage.  
Koroff, Kambarina, 11 m, acute bronchitis.  
8 Thomas Gill, 47, accident.  
Shirley Gaultier, 63, arterio-sclerosis.  
John Clough, 43, aneurism.  
Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

## "JOE" DOWNEY IS MARRIED

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Joseph F. Downey, famed as an aviator, professional bicyclist, and automobile racer, sprung a surprise on his friends yesterday when word reached Boston to the effect that he and Miss Ella B. McHugh of Cambridge had been quietly married at Worcester.

"Joe" Downey, as he was familiarly known, gained considerable prominence when bicycling was at its zenith. He having competed in practically all of the big races held in America. He later entered the automobile field, and was one of the most successful drivers of racing cars. Two years ago he forsook the auto for the flying machine, and appeared at many of the aerial meets held in the east.

Miss McHugh's residence was given as Peterborough street, Cambridge.

## ONE YEAR IN JAIL

Manchester Promoter  
Sentenced on Charge  
of Forgery

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 10.—Daniel A. Gallagher, one of the leading amusement promoters in New Hampshire, was sentenced to a year in jail yesterday in superior court here on one of the four counts of forgery. Sentence on the other three counts was for a like term on each, but was continued, with a mitimus to issue in each case on call of County Solicitor P. H. Sullivan.

The case was the outcome of some property transfers, in which the defendant was accused by relatives of forging their names to deeds. Sentence was pronounced by Judge Robert G. Pike of Dover.

Gallagher for a long time conducted Mechanics hall, the largest hall in this state, as a vaudeville and motion picture house. He was also a promoter of boxing and wrestling matches.

At one time he held a lease of Pine Island Park, the leading summer amusement resort in southern New Hampshire, controlled by the Manchester street railway.

## LOWELL NOBLES TO ATTEND

Annual Meeting of the Granada Order  
in Boston Tomorrow Afternoon—  
Meeting of Officers

The Mystic Nobles of Granada of New England will hold their annual meeting in Deacon hall, 1651 Washington street, Boston, tomorrow afternoon commencing at 2:30 o'clock and it promises to be the biggest gathering of Nobles under one roof ever brought together. Grand Monarch Charles F. F. McCue will preside and reports will be read from various officers, including Financial Secretary Henry M. Carey, Treasurer Mark Mabey, and others.

After the reading of the reports the election of officers will take place, followed by refreshments and an entertainment.

Local members of the order have received nearly gotten up invitations to attend, and Walter H. Hickey, the hustling grand monarch of the local caravan, stated today that he felt confident that a large percentage of Lowell men would be present. They will leave on the 12:10 train, and as Boston has always entertained Lowell with a lavish hand, it is unnecessary to state that a royal good time awaits them.

The year 1914 has opened up most auspiciously for the Granada movement here and ere long the present membership of the caravan will be very materially increased.

The initiatory degree will be exemplified on a large class of candidates at tomorrow's meeting, including a number of well known Lowell men.

## STATE CONVENTION HERE

The Painters and Decorators of  
Massachusetts to Assemble To-  
morrow—Issues Involved

Arrangements are practically completed for the 5th Massachusetts state conference of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers, which is to be opened in Carpenter's hall, Rutland building, tomorrow morning. It is expected that over 60 delegates representing nearly every city in the state will be present and many others will attend the convention which is one of the most important on the painters' calendar.

The meeting will be called to order by President Al. Lamarch of Holyoke and the greater part of tomorrow's session will be devoted to transacting the business and the reading of reports. Sessions will be held Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and some interesting and able speakers are scheduled to be present. It will be the largest meeting of painters and paperhangers ever held in this city and the members of the local union, as looking forward to its opening with much enthusiasm.

The Massachusetts state conference was organized in December, 1911 at Worcester by the delegates of about twenty-five local unions of the state of Massachusetts. It is a delegate body of painters, decorators, paperhangers and sign writers and other men who work in the allied trades of the industry. Its objects are to benefit the membership by closer state affiliation, assistance to others in times of trouble, and the effort to secure legislation that will safeguard the life and health of those employed at the trade. The present officers are: President, Al. Lamarch, Holyoke; vice president, Alfred Noble; corresponding and recording secretary, P. H. Triggs, Springfield; secretary-treasurer, Joseph McDonough, Pittsfield.

## The Lowell Union

The local union of painters, decorators and paperhangers was organized in February, 1900, with sixty-three charter members. On Labor day of the year the local union turned out in one of Lowell's largest parades with a delegation of over 100 men.

The union continued growing and in April, 1901 the members went out on strike for an eight-hour day and after a three-day strike they were granted their request. A short time after a silk banner was presented the union by the Building Trades council, in recognition of being the first craft to win the nine and also the eight-hour day in Lowell.

No local was ever in better condition than this one for the first year but then a strike was declared for \$2.25 per day. It was met by solid opposition by the master painters and no settlement could be made. After a time it became impossible to control all of the men and they started to go to work in non-union shops. As fast as these members could be found out they were fined or expelled from the local. They then started more trouble by forming a union of their own and it was necessary for an international officer to come to Lowell to attempt to straighten matters out. On the 25th day of August, 1902, it was voted to go back to work at \$3.00 a day but not to work with any member of the independent union.

Early in 1907 a demand was sent to the Master Painters association for an increase of fifty cents a day, but it refused to grant it. On April 6 a motion was passed that all men who did not get \$2.50 per day on the coming Monday quit the job and the result was that the majority of the master painters gave the increase.

Since that time the local has succeeded in getting two increases and at the present time the men draw thirty-seven and one-half cents per hour and work 44 hours a week. With its membership increasing the local is in better condition than ever since the big strike of 1902.

A souvenir containing a history of the local organization and a short sketch of the Massachusetts state conference will be given to those who attend any of the sessions and plenty of entertainment is assured.

## REAL SUNSHINE IS FOUND GUILTY

In Chicago Yesterday for Man Must State That  
First Time in Nearly  
Three Weeks

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—For the first time in nearly three weeks Chicagoans yesterday saw real sunshine for just 16 minutes, according to the records of the Chicago weather bureau.

Heavy fogs and low hanging clouds have darkened the city for more than two-thirds of the daylight hours during the last two and a half months. Since Dec. 22 the darkness has been continuous with the exception of the 10 minutes respite yesterday. On five different days the fog and clouds were so heavy that it became necessary to turn on street lights in the middle of the day.

## NEW TORPEDO WILL BE TESTED

Invention of Newport Naval Officers  
Is Kept Secret—First Firing Tests  
Will Be Made Soon

NEWPORT, R. I., Jan. 10.—That a torpedo embodying several new features in construction has been built at the naval torpedo station here by some of the officers and mechanics is now generally understood in Newport. So far it has remained a secret to the details of the new torpedo. It has been learned, however, that in a short time everything will be in readiness for the first firing tests to determine the speed and general effectiveness of the new projectile.

If these preliminary tests are successful it is likely that the naval torpedo board will be assembled to watch further experiments.

## IF WIFE SMOKES IN BED, LEAVE

Judge Discharges Husband Who Had  
Been Arrested For Desertion and  
Non-support

WASHINGTON, Pa., Jan. 10.—A wife's cigaret smoking in bed is sufficient grounds for a husband to desert her and refuse to provide for her board and lodging, was the ruling yesterday of Justice J. P. Carmichael in discharging Daniel Fisher, who had been arrested on charges of desertion and non-support.

Fisher told of his wife's habit, which he not only detected, but which, he feared, might lead to fire. Mrs. Fisher admitted the charge and said she intended to continue to smoke in bed.

## GOING TO AMESBURY

Joseph F. Montminy of this city, substitute to the president general of Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amérique, will go to Amesbury tomorrow evening to preside over the installation of the officers of Council St. Jean Baptiste of that city. Mr. Montminy will be accompanied by delegations from the local committee and from the St. Jean Baptiste of Lowell.

Mr. Montminy, who is also organizer for the union in this part of the state, stated this morning he is now organizing a ladies' council in Lowell, which will be opened some time next week. Already several women have signified their intention of joining this organization, and it is believed the local council, which will be numbered 351, will become one of the largest in the union.

## SAGO BOY HAD \$1300

WENT TO BOSTON AND LET IT FLY  
ON GOOD TIME—FORGED MOTHER'S NAME TO CHECK

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The supreme court today upheld the constitutionality of the law which requires employers in advertising for help during labor troubles to state in such advertisements that a strike exists.

The question arose in the prosecution of Walter M. Libby, a shoe manufacturer of Lynn, who was found guilty under the new statute.

Chief Justice Rugg who wrote the opinion, held that the statute is not arbitrary and has a reasonable relation to the public interests.

## WALKER WILL BE TAKEN HOME BY

Deputy Sheriff Tarbox, who formerly was  
chief of police of Newton. Mrs. Wm. F. Walker, the boy's mother, came to  
Boston with Deputy Tarbox.

Only a small amount of the money was found on Walker when arrested. It is alleged that on the day before Christmas he presented the check at a Biddeford bank and on getting the money boarded a train for this city. He registered at a Hanover street hotel. Wednesday he left the hotel after paying his bill, but yesterday he came back and took the same room.

He was found through letters he wrote to a Biddeford high school girl.

## ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE

BURLING, N. H., Jan. 10.—Fred Sullivan of Lewiston, Maine, was formally arrested today on the charge of murder in consequence of the death of George Bowen, a cook in lumber camps. Bowen was a native of North Stratford and had been employed as a cook in New Hampshire lumber camps the greater part of his life. He was about 60.

The military installation of the officers of Garde Sacre-Coeur will take place on Sunday, Jan. 25, at the parochial school hall of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish in Branch street.

The affair will be held under the auspices of the Sacred Heart League of the same parish, and at the conclusion of the ceremony a smoke hall will be held. Invitations have been sent to all local guards, and it is expected that several out-of-town guards connected with the French American Volunteer Brigade of the United States will send delegates.

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Lamps, Domes, Mantles, Globes, Etc.  
WELCH BROS., 61 MIDDLE STREET.



## Harvard and MIT Combine Their Course in Applied Science

Massachusetts Institute of Technology will combine their courses in applied sciences, according to an almost unanimous vote of the two corporations yesterday.

When the institute removes to its new buildings on the Cambridge side of the Charles-river embankment, Harvard students in electrical, mining, sanitary, civil and mechanical engineering will take their courses at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the co-operatively

The ratification of the agreement came about yesterday afternoon only after long meetings by both corporations. At Harvard the agreement was finally ratified by a vote of 19 to 1, a single member of the corporation refusing to give his consent to the cooperation. The vote of the Technology

Both corporations are steadfast in their claim that the combining of educational forces is in no sense a merger and that the pooling of their forces stops absolutely in the department of applied sciences.

**LOCAL MILITIAMEN WILL CLASH  
WITH WOBURN SOLDIERS TO  
NIGHT—LEAVE IN SPECIAL CAR.**

Company M of the Ninth will meet  
Company C of the Fifth in Woburn to

Company P of the PMA in Hoboken is night in the three branches of athletics engaged in by the local companies during the winter months, bowling, shooting and basketball.

ing off a win tonight. This company defeated Company C in their contest last Monday night at the Armory and since then have decided to take on outside teams.

A special car will convey the Lowell

milliamen to Woburn. The members of the different teams will assemble at the Armory at 6 o'clock tonight, and it is expected that a large delegation will go down with the teams.

**CURRENCY BILL PRAISED**  
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 10.—A resolution congratulating "the government and the people upon the passage of the new currency bill," as calculated to restore confidence and prevent panics, and at the same time introducing a series of amendments to the bill, was adopted by the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce today.

and at the same time introducing a certain elasticity into our currency which has always been lacking, was adopted at the quarterly meeting of the board of governors of the Investment Bankers' Association of America here yesterday.

Prominent investment bankers from all parts of the country were in attendance.

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## THE MOTORIST LAWN TENNIS

News of Interest From  
the Headquarters of  
Local Auto Men

West Side Tennis Club  
to Teach Youngsters  
How to Play

The majority of the local automobile and supply dealers have gone to New York city to attend the automobile show, an annual event there. Through an error last week, the name of Mr. Harry Pitts of the Pitts Auto Supply was left out of the list of those who went to the Metropolitan. Mr. Pitts is one of the busiest and most progressive of the dealers of Lowell, and never loses an opportunity of witnessing the motor exhibitions, and adding to his store of ideas.

Mr. Chandler of the Sawyer Carriage company reports a busy season, saying that very many cars have been brought to his establishment for repainting during the period when the weather is not exactly conducive to motoring. General overhauling and repair work are also carried on at this station to a large extent.

Mr. Rochette of the Ford Motor Mart has returned to this city from his visit to the New York show and has brought with him many interesting figures regarding the Ford Motor cars of which he is the local agent.

The Buick company's advertisement printed on this page will interest a large number of people, for it shows the great confidence which the manufacturers have in their product as well as in the satisfaction which the purchasers of Buicks will experience. The sales of the company, whose headquarters are in Appleton street, are on the increase constantly because of the energy with which they place their cars before the people.

The dealers are now looking forward to the Boston show, and every one of the automobile men of this city will be represented at that event. The majority of those who went to New York will return to Lowell tonight.

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Lawn tennis will be taught in early youth and trained to be the McLaughlins of the future, according to the plan adopted by the annual meeting of the West Side Tennis club. The members favored the suggestion of the national association that the club open the way for at least two hundred junior members to join.

The boys will be developed so that the youngsters of the east may reach that point of skill where they may compete against the wonderful young winners of the racquet from the Pacific coast. The plan is the finest move made in this section of the country to provide for beginners at the game.

The West Side club expects to hold the Davis cup international matches on its new courts at Forest Hills, L. I.

The preliminary matches for this season's trophy, it is said, will be played in cities outside of New York with Boston, Philadelphia, and Chicago as the most likely to be selected.

## SUES SPENDTHRIFT WIFE

GEO. E. REYNOLDS SEEKS DIVORCE FROM WIFE WHO DESERTED HIM

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Edith Stevens Reynolds, who squandered an inherited fortune while a companion of George E. Reynolds, a New York and Harvard spendthrift is now being sued

for divorce by her husband, George E. Reynolds of Somerville.

Nearly ten years have passed since Mrs. Reynolds began her escapades and reckless extravagance that entangled her in many spectacular court trials. The husband, who has remained silent through all these years, now asks that a divorce be granted on the grounds of desertion.

Mr. Reynolds' home is at 23 Pleasant avenue, Somerville, and his wife is said to be living in New York city. The libel has been filed in the superior court at East Cambridge.

The former Boston beauty received country-wide notoriety nearly seven years ago upon the arrest of her companion, George P. Bowler, on a charge of forgery. She met Bowler through her husband at her home in Commonwealth avenue in 1904.

They became attached to one another and coming into possession of about \$50,000 Mrs. Reynolds deserted her husband a few years later and joined the former Harvard student in a career of most lavish extravagance.

They went to the west where they quarreled and she returned east. Bowler followed east and was arrested in Boston for forging his brother's name to notes held by "Poco" Bennett, lender of money to Harvard students, who died recently.

While confined in the Charles street jail awaiting his trial, Bowler received every attention from his companion who had relented and again vowed her love for him. She carried delinquents to his cell and labored day and night to raise \$10,000 in bail money. By that time they had wasted every cent of the money which Mrs. Reynolds inherited from her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds were married in 1902. The husband was many years the senior of his bride. The match was regarded as a good one in social circles at that time. The former Miss Stevens came from a prominent Boston family and had been educated in a private school.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending Jan. 10, 1914

## LOWELL

John T. Conway to Bridget Crane, land and buildings on Smith street.

Emma F. Parker est., by exor., to John J. Hanna, land and buildings on Barn street.

Nellie E. Brogan to City of Lowell, land at Washington park.

Armelie Rousseau, et al., by trs., assee of mtgee., to Jacob Welch, et al., land and buildings on Payton street.

Central Savings Bank, Lowell, to Joseph P. Quigley, et al., land and buildings on Willis street.

James A. Howe et al., to A. Hayden Sawyer, land and buildings cor. Second and Read streets.

Rewena Hildreth Read est., by exor., to Oscar P. Prentiss, land and buildings on Bridge street.

Harvey B. Greene to Catherine F. McLean, land and buildings on Pine street.

Emma Smith Harris to James F. Mulvaney, land and building on Chauncey avenue.

Margaret Donoghue to Nasar Razouk, et al., land and buildings on Suffolk street.

Sadio V. Barnes by mtgee., to William J. Brown, land on Mill street, and passage ways.

William D. Brown to Hattie M. Taylor, land on Mill street and passage ways.

Paul Stahl to Antonio Capuano, et al., land and buildings on McIntyre street.

Emma C. Osgood et al., to Marion L. Garlick, land and buildings on Bridge street.

Trs. of Lowell Silent Society to Marion L. Garlick, land and buildings on Bridge street.

## BILDERICA

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Gertrude S. Heals, land cor. Friendship and Peace streets.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Patrick J. Sweeney, land at Nuttings lake Park.

George H. Hill to Louis Frechette, land on Wallace road.

George H. Hill to Edmund Fortier, land on Wallace road.

James E. Burke by mtgee., to Clarence H. Gleason, land on S. w. side Shawashen road.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Catherine T. Burns, land at Nuttings lake Park Annex.

Pitt F. Holden to Catherine Lauretta Carter, land and buildings, on road to Bedford.

## CHELMSFORD

James Hill to Martha M. Glover et al., land and buildings on Gorham street.

Michael F. Wakefield to Minot A. Bean, land on Cortes street.

James M. Glover et al., to Martha M. Glover, land and buildings cor. Gorham street and another street.

Barley J. Portaro est., by trs., to John W. Perham, land at Old Turnpike.

Calvin E. Fowler et al., to John W. Perham, land at Old Turnpike.

## DRAFT

George B. Coburn to Richard Young, land on Varnum street.

Helen F. Richardson et al., to Pen-ton J. Dempsey, land on Linden street.

Leavitt R. J. Varnum to Cofa B. Cooper, land on Kearney street.

Benjamin F. Bond to John A. Da-hock, land on Lakeview avenue and Beaver Brook.

## TEWKSBURY

Grace V. Nickerson to Lohse Tolstrom, land on Elm street.

John W. Rorke et al., to Fannie Mueh-nick, land on Valley road.

Enoch W. Foster to Mary E. Dewan, land on private way.

Grace V. Nickerson to Robertina M. O. Reeves, land on private street.

Albert S. Briggs to Lewis Emil Smith, land on Pine street and Round Point.

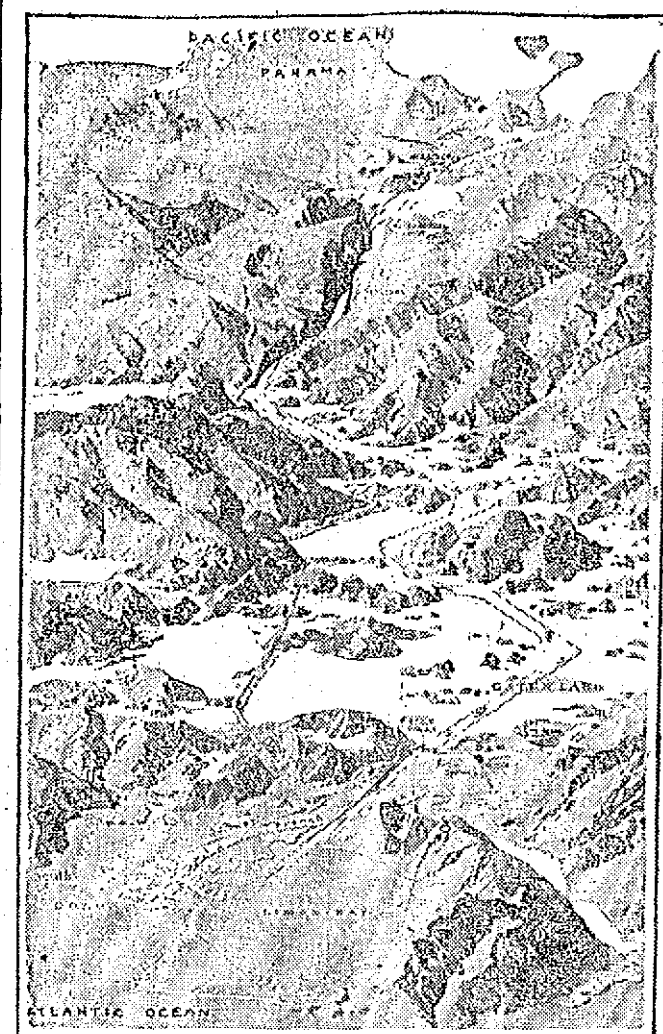
Jacob W. Wilbur to John J. Sullivan, land on Berkeley street.

Pietro Bonigoli to Walter Badelupolo, land cor. Spruce street and Salm road.

## TYNGSBORO

Edgar C. Linn et al., to James A.

## A STRIKING BIRDSEYE VIEW OF THE PANAMA CANAL



COLON, Jan. 10.—It is now generally conceded that the first steamer to traverse the Panama canal, from one ocean to the other will go through late

Leighton, land on Willow Dale avenue. Jonathan Bowers, et al., by atty., to John McShes, land on Tyngsboro, Land-seek and Bay State roads.

Martha J. Proctor est., by admr., to Henry S. Proctor, land and buildings on road to Dunstable.

## WESTFORD

Lucy M. Flagg to Frank Gregory, land on Littleton road.

## WILMINGTON

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Amancio Augusto De Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Senhorinha Ezebel De Souza, land at Wilmington Square Park.

Barley J. Portaro est., by admr., to Bartholomew J. Lehan, land and buildings cor. Chase street and Railroad avenue extension.

Barley J. Portaro est., by admr., to Bartholomew J. Lehan, land and buildings cor. Cottage and Lake View avenues.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Frank Parkhurst, land at Wilmington Square Park.

George A. McCormack to Reginald D. Lurvey, land on Commonwealth avenue.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Charles K. Wayshvill, land at Wilmington Square Park.

James H. Venable to John Lagerstrom, land at Pinegrove Park.

Aaron Adelman to Sophie Smith, land cor. Garden road and Scitubano street.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Francis H. Mannis, land on Park avenue.

Charles E. Lyons to Florence E. Collins, land at Oakland Park.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At a meeting of Court Scandia, 182, Foresters of America held last night

Dr. J. B. Albert Johnson was elected court physician for the members in this city and Dr. F. E. Varnoy for those in Chelmsford and vicinity. Reports from the different committees were read and approved by the members and the recently elected officers were installed by Deputy Alfred McDougall assisted by Deputy John Barrett. Refreshments were served.

## Stationary Firemen

The International Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen has installed the following officers: President, John T. Hendricks; vice-president, Patrick Cummings; financial secretary, Thomas J. McFie; recording and corresponding secretary-treasurer, John W. Downing; trustee, John P. Dean; sergeant-at-arms, Michael Kline; delegates to the trades and labor council, Dominic McLean, Patrick Cullinan, John T. Hendricks, Thomas J. McGee, John W. Downing and Patrick Cummings. The next meeting of the local will be held on Sunday afternoon, Jan. 25, at which the auditors will make a report of the financial standing of the local.

## Court General Shields

Court General Shields, 46, Foresters of America, met in regular session last night and the following officers were installed:

C. R. Hugh Flinnerty; S. C. R. John Hanley, treasurer; John L. McDonough; F. S. James H. Cox; R. S. William C. Bowles; S. W. Patrick Cart; J. W. John Butler; S. B. Owen Morris; J. B. J. E. Lang; trustee, Patrick Roark; lecturer, John G. McDani; physician, Dr. William M. Collins; G. C. H. Brether Barrett; Albert McDougall, herald.

## To Hold Banquet

In the course of the regular meeting of Court Gen. Dimen, 217, F. of A., which was held last night in Grafton

hall, it was decided to hold a banquet for the members and their friends, the event to be held in the near future. The meeting was largely attended and Chief Hanger M. J. Monahan occupied the chair. The recently elected officers were installed, the ceremony being presided over by Deputy Grand Chief Ranger Albert McDougall, assisted by Deputy Narcisse Gadohis. Interesting remarks were delivered by Michael J. Monahan, Stephen D. Breen, John Mulligan, Michael J. Boyle and visiting brothers, John Barrett, Albert McDougall and Narcisse Gadohis.

The committee appointed to look after arrangements for the banquet consists of the following: Michael J. Monahan, chairman; John J. Mahoney, secretary; Stephen D. Breen, treasurer; Peter Quinn, Patrick Owens, Joseph A. Loring, John Mulligan, Michael Daly, Bernard McKeever, Eugene Deuliger, Michael J. Boyle and John J. Fitzpatrick.

## NORTH CHELMSFORD

A delightful whist party was held at St. John's hall, North Chelmsford, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary. The affair was largely attended and at the close of the contest prizes were awarded as follows:

Ladies—First prize, Miss Elizabeth Kearns, gold pendant and chain; second, Miss Agnes Hogan, box of candy; consolation, Miss Margaret Bondy.

Gentlemen—First prize, Edward La-france, stickpin; second, John Garvey, who also tied for first place, box of candy; consolation, George Welsh.

Miss Mary Cox and Miss Grace Cummins were the scorers, and Miss Belle Valentine, president of the society, supervised the general arrangements, which had been entrusted to Miss Nina Callahan and Mrs. Michael Scollan. Refreshments were served during the intermission.

## IN POLICE COURT

Only Three Cases on Docket—Absconding Inmates Sentenced

Today's police court session was a very short affair but three cases appearing before Judge Knight for settlement.

The superintendent of the state hospital at Tewksbury had two cases of absconding patients who were both sent to the state farm at Bridgewater. Benjamin Durkin and John Long both left the infirmary without obtaining a release and returned within the year for aid from the state. Both men pleaded guilty to the charge of soliciting public charity after absconding from the institution.

Michael Bracken was charged with drunkenness. He gave his home as Weymouth and was given until Monday to leave Lowell and return to the bosom of family Bracken was preface in his promises for the future.

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BUTLER, DR. W. L. ....311  
CASSIDY, DR. JAMES J. ....501  
GATNEY, DR. JAMES F. ....211  
MAHONY, DR. FRANCES H. ....406  
PHILSBURY, DR. HOYDEN D. ....011  
RANDALL, DR. G. M. ....011  
SMITH, DR. FORSTER H. ....306

## DENTISTS

ALLEN, DR. OTIS A. ....201  
KNAPP, DR. WALTER E. ....506  
PHILLIPS, DR. NORMAN S. ....600

## OPTOMETRISTS

NEEDHAM, SUMNER H. ....303  
ROGERS, JAMES H. ....592

## REAL ESTATE

ADAMS & MURPHY .....005  
BILDERICA REALTY TRUST CO. ....401  
CAMPBELL, ABEL R. ....401

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## STENOGRAPHER

SHINKWIN, MISS MARIE.....711

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BOSTON INVESTIGATORS.....800  
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM .....401  
QUINN, JOHN P., Cost Office.....404  
UNION ELECTRIC CO. ....712

## LAWYERS

DUNCAN, WILLIAM W. ....811  
FISHER, EDWARD .....807  
FISHER, FREDERICK A. ....807  
GOLDMAN, FRANK .....404  
HILDETH, CHARLES L. ....807  
HILL, JAMES GILBERT .....811  
MARBLE, FREDERICK P. ....807  
REGAN, WILLIAM D. ....803  
RING, WILLIAM D. ....004  
SILVERHATT, BENNETT 803

## INSURANCE

MASSACHUSETTS BONDING & INSURANCE CO. ....304  
METROPOLITAN LIFE INS. CO. ....706  
PLUMMER & HILL .....710

## DRESSMAKER

QUELETTE, MISS ANNA.....701

## ENGRAVER

OHLSON, CARL M. ....305

## MILLINER

LEIGHTON, MARY DUNLAP 000

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SULLIVAN, JOHN J. ....200

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## FALCON'S NIGHT

Battle of Music Attraction Last Night at Associate Hall

The fourth annual party and dance of the Falcons was held last night in Associate hall where a battle of music ensued between Miner's and Doyle's orchestras. The dance order contained 30 numbers, with extras, and the attendance was unusually large.

The success of the affair was due to the splendid efforts of the following officers: General manager, Leo F. Ward; assistant general manager, William Noonan; floor director, George A. Flanders; assistant floor director, Patrick F. Finnerty; aids, Catherine Devine, Odette Creamer, Sadie Foley, Leo McEvoy, Mary McQuade, Mollie Townsend, James Gray, Walter McEvoy, Ann O'Laughlin, G



# TO PROVIDE FOR ADMIRALS

## Legislation to Care for Officers is Urged in Memoranda Submitted by Paymaster Gen. Cowie

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Legislation to provide for admirals and vice admirals in the navy with permanent commissions and not merely holding the rank while actually serving on sea duty in command of fleets or squadrons, is urged in memoranda just submitted by Paymaster General Cowie, U. S. N., to the house committee on naval affairs. This recommendation follows Secretary Daniels' declaration in favor of four vice admirals and the reported probable attitude of the naval committee in favor of temporary commissioning of rear admirals in these higher ranks.

"This rumored attitude on the part of the naval committee regarding a question of such vital moment," wrote the paymaster general, "is the source of much apprehensive worry to government officials, naval officers and other persons familiar with interna-

tional affairs who on their well-founded knowledge, very keenly appreciate the necessity which demands the creation of permanent higher flag rank in the American navy. A law that would grant only temporary commissions as admirals and vice admirals would at best prove hardly more than a half-way measure and would almost entirely fail to bring about just those national benefits and advantages of position, the obtaining of which constitutes the motive of the recommendation. Supreme command in concerted international activities hinges not only upon relative grade standing regarded separately but also upon the seniority of commissions within a grade. The perpetual relegation of American commanders to inferior phases of joint duties under foreign leadership is something that is neither profitable in practice nor pleasant to think upon.

"An admiral should command a fleet, a vice admiral should command a squadron, a rear admiral should command a division."

# BIG ELECTRIC GENERATOR

## To be Placed in Merrimack Mills —Valve Failed in Prescott Mill—Dividends in Fall River Mills

The Merrimack Manufacturing Co. of this city, will place in operation in its power plant a 3750 kv-a. Curtis turbo-generator with fourteen panel switchboards and accessories, and will also install a 100 kw. motor-generator set. This unit will be built and installed by the General Electric company.

### The Prescott Explosion

Agent Mitchell of the Massachusetts mills states that the explosion of cylinders in the slasher room of the Prescott mills yesterday did not reflect in any way upon the method of transmitting power by steam pipe from the main plant of the Massachusetts mills, but resulted from the failure of a valve by which the pressure from the main pipe was to be reduced before reaching the slasher cylinders. The valve failing to work, the full pressure came upon the cylinders and these not being intended to bear such high pressure, naturally gave way. Mr. Mitchell states that steps have been taken to prevent the possibility of any such accident in the future. He also states that this method of transmitting power to some distance is not at all new. Mr. Mitchell was greatly pleased yesterday when he found that not a single employee was injured. As for the damage to windows and slashers, that can be easily repaired.

### LOWELL MILL DIVIDENDS

The dividends recently declared by the Lowell mills are as follows: Appleton, 5 per cent, Dec. 15, regular semi-annual; Wigwag Carpet Co., 5 per cent, Jan. 1; Hamilton, 2 1/2 per cent, Aug. 1; Massachusetts, regular dividend; Merrimack Manufacturing Co., regular annual dividend; Middlesex mills, nothing; Tremont & Suffolk, 4 1/2 per cent, last year.

### WOOLEN MILL MACHINERY

An American consul in Canada reports that a woolen mill project in his district has reached the stage where its promoters are inquiring into the merits of various makes of knitting machines and carding machinery. The company will have a capital of \$50,000 and will employ 30 operatives. Municipal commissions have been secured on its behalf. American catalogues will be

carefully examined by those in charge of the undertaking.

### TEXTILES, LEATHER AND FELT

A foreign business firm informs an American consular officer that it desires to act as agent for the sale in the local market of American textiles, leather and felt. This firm states that it will be glad to furnish references.

### CLOTHING, LEATHER GOODS, ETC.

An American consular officer in Canada has forwarded a copy of a letter from a business firm in his district stating that it desires to be put in touch with American manufacturers in the following lines: Cotton, especially for clothing, shoe lining, fancy shirtings and all-cotton duck canvas; leather; shoe and corset lace; cork insoles; waterproof clothing; boys' suits; aprons; shirts and overalls.

### FALL RIVER DIVIDENDS

The following are the dividends declared by Fall River mills: The Ancona mills declare a quarterly dividend of 1-1/2 per cent. The Tecumseh mills will pay the regular quarterly dividend of 1-1/2 per cent, on Jan. 1 to stock of present record.

A regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, to stockholders of record Dec. 27 was declared by the Standard Fabric Co.

The Stafford mills declare a quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record.

A quarterly dividend of 1-1/2 per cent, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 23, has been declared by the King Philip mills.

The Renfrew Manufacturing Co. has declared a dividend of 1 1/2 per cent, payable Jan. 1 on the preferred stock, to stock of record Dec. 20, 1913, to Jan. 1, 1914.

Directors of the Narragansett mills have declared a regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, payable to stock of present record in the corporation on Jan. 2.

The Naumkeag Steam Cotton Co. of Salem will pay their quarterly dividend of \$4 a share Feb. 14 to stock of record Jan. 21.

### AT CHICOPEE

The Dwight Manufacturing Co. declares regular dividend of \$30 a share, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record at the close of business Dec. 23.

# IN JOINT INSTALLATION TOWN IS SUBMERGED

## OFFICERS OF THREE COUNCILS OF UNION ST. JEAN BAPTISTE D'AMERIQUE TOMORROW

A joint installation of the officers of the three local councils of Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amérique will be held at C. M. A. C. hall tomorrow afternoon. The ceremony will be public and all are invited to attend. Notable speakers are invited to present and a varied entertainment program will be carried out. The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock and will be presided over by Joseph Cote of Salem, Mass., president of District Council No. 4. The affair will be held under the auspices of Council Carillon, and it is hoped a large gathering will be present. Among the speakers will be: Joseph Cote, the presiding officer; Joseph P. Montigny of this city, president of the district; Octave Leclerc, collector; J. B. Barrette, C. M. A., of Notre Dame de Lourdes parish, and many others.

The councils to be represented are J. N. Jacques, Carillon and Laval. The officers of Carillon council to be installed are: Rev. Augustin Gratton, C. M. A., chaplain; Joseph Carrier, honorary president; Ernest Rousseau, president; Joseph Tremblay, vice president; Jesse Alexander, secretary; Octave Leclerc, assistant secretary; Louis Asselin, collector; J. U. Morin, treasurer; Octave Gaudy, master of ceremonies; Alfred Simon and Norbert Marchand, marshals; Martial Parent and Frederick Desrosiers, auditors; Dr. D. S. Dellehumeur, physician.

## FATE OF 100 INHABITANTS UNKNOWN—ONLY THREE ROOFS VISIBLE TODAY

KOESLIN, Germany, Jan. 10.—A high tide submerged the village of Damerort, on the borders of Buckow lake, adjoining the Baltic sea, last night and the fate of its 100 inhabitants is unknown.

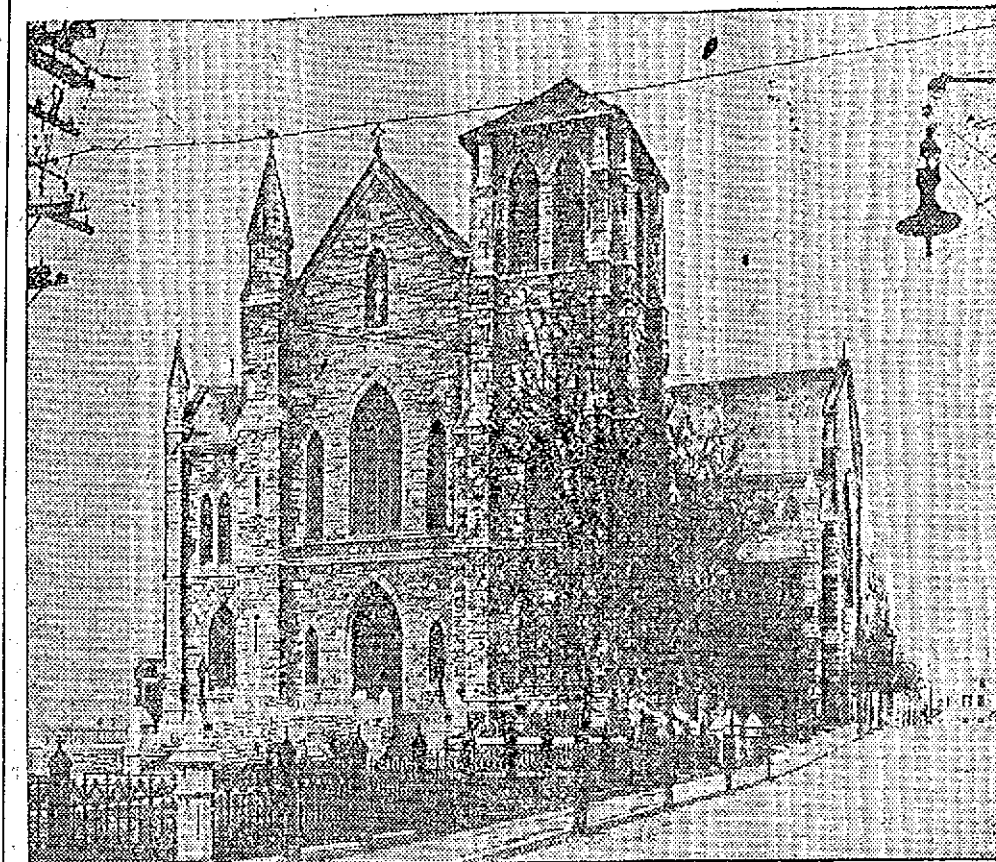
Only three roofs of the houses in the village were visible this morning.

### FIRST TO PAY INCOME TAX

John C. Roth, Chicago Hotel Manager, is Prompt to Settle With Uncle Sam

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—The first person to pay the new income tax in Chicago and perhaps the first in the United States was John C. Roth, who settled with Uncle Sam yesterday afternoon. Mr. Roth is general manager of the company operating the great Northern hotel, South Dearborn street and West Jackson Boulevard.

# Many Improvements to be Made on Immaculate Conception Church



THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH

The last year proved to be a very constructive one for the Immaculate Conception parish, for though there was no church or school building, as in some other parishes, the parochial property was gone over thoroughly and many important changes made. About a year ago a building expert who was called in regarding some immediate repairs that were to be made on the roof, discovered that owing to forgetfulness of the future at the time of its construction, there was danger as some of the roof supports were unsound. Consequently the work of entirely renovating the roof was commenced and completed and the people were very

generous in their moral and financial support of the scheme. Beautiful confessionals were also substituted for the old ones in the lower church and the roof here was also altered to. The entire church was then painted and decorated in a scheme of artistic simplicity which makes it one of the most beautiful in Lowell. Owing to repeated leaks in the roof of the parochial school, a copper roof was put on in the most modern manner. Plans are being made for the coming year in order that the work so well begun may be carried to completion. All the large repairs have been attended to but there are several minor matters that need attention before the building will be entirely renovated. Owing to age the heating system is inadequate and must fall at any time and in all probability it will be replaced by an up-to-date system in a few months. The retaining wall for one of the ornamental supporting terraces is in poor condition as is apparent by the bulging of the granite blocks, and this also must be torn down and replaced. Within these and a few other details are attended to the Immaculate Conception church will be in as good shape as when first its graceful outlines were admired. The grounds are among the most artistic and novel in the city and their perfection is the result of constant care and attention.

# FREE GERMAN OFFICERS ST. RAILWAY MAN

## Fred Crowley, Elected President of the Joint Conference

### Court Martials Acquit All Military Men Charged With Breaches of the Law

STRASSBURG, Germany, Jan. 10.—Court martials this afternoon acquitted all the German army officers charged with breaches of the law in connection with the recent violent incidents between civilians and military at Alsace; the military jury in all cases accepting the word of the officers against the sworn testimony of the civilian witnesses.

Colonel Von Reuter, commander of the 9th Infantry, was charged with wrongful imprisonment but the court found his acts justifiable and set him free.

Lieutenant Schad, accused of striking a prisoner, also was released by the same court on the ground that the charge had not been proved.

Lieutenant Baron Von Forstner won his appeal before a second court-martial against the sentence of 12 days' imprisonment imposed on him on Dec. 16 on a charge of sabring a lame shoemaker and was given his liberty.

The justification of Col. Von Reuter's acts was based by the court on a decree issued by the king of Prussia in 1820

which gave the right to the military to intervene without waiting for a request from the civil authorities in case the latter were powerless to suppress disorders.

The decree was issued at the time of the Holy Alliance which existed from 1815 to 1830 between the European sovereigns and was intended to perpetuate the reigning dynasties and prevent revolutions.

Col. Von Reuter's retention of the civil prisoners over night, although recognized by the court as illegal in itself, was considered justified because the transfer of the prisoners at night might in the opinion of the court have caused serious disorders and perhaps bloodshed.

The military judges trying Lieut. Baron Von Forstner decided that the crippled shoemaker had made a threatening remark to the officer and when they heard the testimony of one of Von Forstner's men who swore that he had found a pocketknife in the shoemaker's pocket they declared that Lieutenant Von Forstner had been justified in sabring the shoemaker.

At the joint conference composed of delegates from every division of the Bay State Street Railway, Motorman Fred Crowley of this city, president of the local Street Railway Men's union, was chosen to act as president of the organization.

Delegates representing every division of the Bay State Street Railway met in Boston at least once a week for the purpose of discussing matters of importance to street railway men and also what can be done to improve the conditions of the union. The election of Mr. Crowley to the office of president shows the esteem in which he is held by the railway men in this section of the state and also reflects much credit on the work of the local union.

### International Officers

President Malone, head of the International Railway Men's union is in Boston at the present time and will remain there until some agreement is reached. An attempt is being made to have Mr. Malone attend the smoker which is to be held here next Tuesday night. Mr. Fred Fay, another international officer, has promised to be present and address the members.

# BANK HEARING

## Resumed Before Sec. McAdoo and Sec. Houston in Boston

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Secretaries McAdoo and Houston, constituting the special committee under the new federal reserve banking system, gave New England bankers a two hours' session today in which to complete the presentation of their case in favor of a regional banking district under the new currency act and to offer suggestions as to its location.

The preponderance of evidence brought out at yesterday's session favored the establishment of such an institution in Boston. A majority of the bankers advocated the inclusion of all six New England states in the territory, although a few bankers from southern Connecticut declared their financial allegiance to New York.

Western Massachusetts and Vermont were expected to tell today whether institutions in their sections desired to be included in the Boston or the New York district.

Only a few persons attended the hearing today. The bankers who were expected to speak for western Massachusetts and Vermont did not appear. George W. Harriman of this city held the division of the country into ten districts supplementing his remarks with maps and charts worked out in great detail. He included all six New England states in one district with its center at Boston.

# HAD SET MANY FIRES

## Youth in Georgetown Arrested for Setting Several Destructive Fires—Has Confessed His Guilt

HAVERHILL, Jan. 10.—The mystery surrounding the several damaging fires which have occurred in Georgetown during the past year was solved last evening when Charles A. Robinson, aged 20, a resident of the town and an employee of Walter F. Atkinson, who conducts a lumber yard there, confessed to the state police that he had set three fires, including one at his own home, and another at the place where he worked.

### Started Probe of Fires

The last blaze was on Wednesday morning when the Atkinson lumber yard and storage house, was destroyed with a total loss of over \$5000. Probes on previous fires having been unsuccessful, the state police were called and they, assisted by C. J. Eaton, chief of the Georgetown fire department, instituted a searching investigation, their

suspicious finally resting on young Robinson, who it is said had a mania for fires when a child.

He was questioned closely and finally confessed that he had set not only the Atkinson fire but two others. He told the police that on June 17, he set fire to the residence of A. B. Noyes, when a \$5000 loss occurred.

On Dec. 2 he said he set fire to the house he lived in, which was owned by his grandmother, Mrs. Kedney Rogers and Mrs. Albert Rogers. This fire was discovered early and the loss was \$1000.

Last Wednesday morning the lumber storehouse occupied by Walter F. Atkinson and owned by Mrs. C. O. Noyes was discovered in flames. It was completely destroyed with a loss of \$4500 to Atkinson and \$1000 loss to Mrs. Noyes.

Robinson said that he set the three fires and gave no excuse except that he was unable to control his desire to do it. It was placed under arrest after his confession and brought to this city.

# REPORT ON MINE STRIKE

## Federal Investigator Says Profits of Calumet & Hecla Company Are Extremely Large

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Profits of the Calumet & Hecla Co., which employs more than 50 per cent of the miners in the Michigan copper district, were characterized as extremely large in a report on the copper strike submitted today to Secretary Wilson by Walter B. Palmer, an investigator of the department of labor.

Palmer reported that the general average of day wages paid by all the companies throughout the year was \$2.59. Some of the smaller companies, he declared, were operating at a loss. Prior to the present strike he found the general workday was of 10 to 11 hours and some of the miners were paid as low as \$2.35 a shift. Some other classes of labor were paid as low as \$2.

A summary of the investigation made public today at the department of labor details the work of Palmer and also that of John H. Densmore, solicitor for the department and Special Agent John A. Moffitt, who were later sent to investigate.

Congressional investigation Secretary Wilson today declined to say what the next step in the department's participation in the situation would be, although he indicated that the reports of the investigators might become the basis of a proposed congressional investigation.

In connection with the efforts of the department at mediation the reports of Moffitt and Densmore, the report says, show:

That suggestions were made that the managers of the companies meet the representatives of the miners with a view to affecting a mutual settlement.

"That the whole question in dispute be submitted to arbitration and no member of the Western Federation of Miners be selected on the board.

"That the companies agree to reinstate all of the workmen without discrimination relative to their being members or non-members of the union.

"Each of these propositions as made were accepted by the representatives of the miners as a basis of settlement but were rejected by the representatives of the companies on the ground they would not deal with the Western Federation of Miners or have any of its members in their employ.

The companies on Dec. 1 posted notices to the effect that thereafter the minimum wage rate would be \$3 and the hours of labor per day 5 1/2.

"The data contained in this report was collected prior to the shooting at Salsburgh, the shooting at Painesdale, the Calumet tragedy at Italian hall on Christmas eve and the deportation of Charles H. Morgan and does not include any reports on these points."

After reviewing the preliminaries which led to the strike the report says:

"Before the strike began, J. A. Cruise, sheriff of Houghton county, had sworn in about 420 deputies at the request of the mining companies, nearly all of them employees of the company. That number was increased after the strike began until it numbered about 1700 on November 1. The companies also imported from other states a large number of armed guards."

"The first strikebreakers were brought in by the Quincy Mining Co. During the latter part of September other strikebreakers were engaged in Chicago. Many of these men made affidavits that they did not know there was trouble or a strike at the place they were to work. During October many strikebreakers were brought in by the Calumet-Hecla Co. and some for other companies. Two made affidavits that deputies at the point of a gun compelled them to go from Superior to Calumet.

given money for the Y. M. C. A. building at Calumet and for most of the church buildings and has built and maintains a hospital. It has established a voluntary aid fund, an old age pension fund for certain employees and in a number of other ways has promoted the welfare of the workers."

### FUNERALS

GILL.—The funeral of Thomas J. Gill took place this morning from his late home, 11 West Ninth street, at 10 a.m. and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 10 o'clock by Rev. Dennis Murphy. In attendance at the funeral was a delegation from the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's parish consisting of John Regan, Daniel Redding, Martin D. Sullivan and Patrick Hendon; delegation from Court General Shields, P. of A. were Hugh Finney, chief ranger; Owen Morris, James E. Lang and John J. McGee. The bearers were Joseph M. C. Coy, John Flynn, James Gill, John Regan, Daniel Murphy and Patrick Carroll. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Dennis Murphy read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements. A mass of requiem was celebrated at 8 o'clock by Rev. Dennis Murphy. The bearers were: Wife and children, Merrimack packing room, Frank Murphy, Rose Riley, Mary and Margaret Hinchley, Mr. and Mrs. Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gill, Miss O'Neill and Tom Wakenfield, Daniel Murphy.

Rhodes from out of town were: Mrs. John O'Neill, Daniel Murphy, Wakefield; Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, Lawrence.

### DEATHS

WOOD.—Jarvis Wood an old resident of this city, passed away last evening at the home of his nephew, James Wood, 9 Lundberg street, at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 11 days. Mr. Wood was born at Gloucester, Dorsetshire, England, and came to this city in 1831, living here most of the time. He is survived by three grandchildren, one nephew and one niece.

McOSKER.—Died in this city, Jan. 10, at St. John's hospital, Mary (McQuade) McOsker. She is survived by her husband and three sons, Francis, Daniel and John J. McOsker; also one sister, Mrs. Rose Managan, of Sydney, Australia, and one brother, Christopher McQuade, of Ireland.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

WOOD.—Died in this city, Jan. 9th, at the home of his nephew, James Wood, 9 Lundberg street, Jarvis Wood, aged 71 years 2 months and 11 days. Funeral services will be held at 9 Lundberg street on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

PROCTOR.—The funeral of Napoleon Provencher will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 109 Mammoth road. High mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Columba's church. Friends are invited. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

### FROST FOR PADEREWSKI

Portland, Oregon, Fails to Hear the Pianist—Insufficient Support is the Reason Assigned

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 10.—Paderewski did not give his recital in Portland last night last night, as it was the reason assigned. The pianist is guaranteed \$500 a performance, but it was a proposition of Paderewski himself that the concert be cancelled. The pianist will not play to a third or a half house. To get the best results, he must have a large audience and the advance sale showed that there would be only a handful of people present.

# NAPOLÉON PROVENCHER

## PENSIONED PATROLMAN OF LOWELL FORCE DIED THIS MORNING

Napoleon Provencher, a pensioned patrolman of the Lowell police force, died this morning at his home at the corner of Fourth avenue and Mammoth road. Deceased was 55 years of age and had been in ill health for some time. Death was due to an acute attack of pneumonia.

Officer Provencher was appointed to the force Dec. 16, 1884, and retired by Mayor O'Donnell on April 30, 1912. He was born in Millbury, Mass., on Aug. 6, 1858.

Deceased was one of the best known residents of this city. He had been troubled with heart disease for a number of years, but last Monday he seemed to improve, and although he had been confined to his home for some time, he was able to go out for a short walk. His outside trip, however, was fatal, for he caught cold and was taken with pneumonia.

During his service in the police department, Officer Provencher proved to be a valuable man, and on many occasions he was complimented for his efficient work. On April 30, 1912, he was retired on the pension list by Mayor O'Donnell and since that time his health has been poor.

Deceased was an attendant of St. Columba's church and counted a host of friends in this city, who will be grieved to learn of his demise. He

was a member of several fraternal associations and is survived by a wife, Mary Cunningham Provencher, a brother, Norbert of this city, two foster brothers, Arthur and Deoda Cardinal of Lawrence.

Be with the crowd, Mon., Prescott.

# BREAK IN NEW HAVEN

## CAUSED BY SUPREME COURT ORDER—GENERAL MARKET WENT OFF BUT CLOSED FIRM

The market closed firm. Having overcome the initial depression occasioned by the break in New Haven, bull operators bought with increasing confidence and ultimately succeeded in realizing the level of prices well above the opening range. Uncertainty as to the outcome of New Haven's efforts to provide for its financial needs made specialties unusually broad and active in the company's stock and bonds. The outstanding six advanced four points. Aside from the New Haven's issues the widest movements were in specialties. Tobacco issues were heavy. Texas Company gained 5 1/2. New York Central sagged to \$91-3, with a fraction of its low record for 20 years. Bonds were firm.

### CROSS-EXAMINATION

Lawyer.—The cross-examination did not seem to worry you. Have you had any previous experience? Client.—Six children.—Kansas City Star.











THE MAN IN THE MOON

Last Sunday's attendance among the Protestant churches was truly noteworthy. All showed marked increase in attendance while several were crowded to the doors. To see the empty pews occupied must have inspired the faintest of preachers to flights of real eloquence which would flow from a heart filled with devout thankfulness in the most natural manner in the world. Fathers and sons went to church with their wives and sisters and all hands united in the responses and lifted their voices in old familiar hymns. Give them credit. It meant a great deal for father to lay aside the Sunday paper and forego the cleaning up of the cellar; and for son to sacrifice his time and honor practice time about noon, after having been out the night before, were serious indeed. Let us hope that there will be no backsliding and the habit of going to church become so fixed, that the coming of the good old summer shall not have power to abate it.

If this going to church regularly is a duty that we owe ourselves, our families, the community, and is a fitting expression of our belief in a God who has revealed himself to us, "for do Lawd's sake let us go." Ye who have doubts about it give that neighbor who has asked you to go to church the benefit of the doubt and go. I dare say you'll encounter as good people as you would find at the club or lodge room, out at the camp, or as good as the fellow that has asked alone with you until 11.30 Sunday mornings. You'll get a cordial welcome and if your hearing is fair you'll soon get a line on what the preacher is saying; and you may get such an awakening as to see things from a new and illuminating standpoint. It was glad when they said unto me: "Let us go into the house of the Lord." I went.

However much these poor men who have become addicted to the habit of not going to church can be criticized for their weak lack of the conventional method of showing the spirit of worship, yet it is said that the reasons are extant within the walls of churches that have served and still serve to keep men away. If the churches wish for the interest and co-operation of the men, they must come more than half way. I think to begin with they should weed out a large lot of gentlemen wearing the clerical as having no more license and fitness to carry the gospel to men than has the man in the moon to be ambassador to England. Personally they may be the best of men and we respect them accordingly; but how often, O how often are we forced to sit under a sulid hour listening to something for which a half hour would have been more than sufficient to say all there was to say.

I recommend to the next ecclesiastical convention that it prescribe for its clergy sermons not more than one-half hour in length—if shorter, so much the better, to cut out philistines from the pulpit, leaving that and other strictly social questions to week days' exploitation and that none shall be ordained as preachers of the word unless they be capable of talking to their congregations without the whole sermon being written out and lying before them, to institute a probationary period for young men who believe they have heard a "call" to dispense the word to their fellow men. Some such procedure as this I think would do to the dignity and effectiveness of the churches and lessen that perversity among men who will not go to church largely because of the reasons which I have suggested. The clergy cannot with effectiveness talk dry, nor exercise authority over obstinate or prejudiced men. It must, if it would fill those empty pews, possess the power to draw, hold, inspire and influence men. It has not this power it will fail.

**Street Railway Service**

It happens often enough that the patrons of the Bay State company are made goats of. When we see a car deliberately leave us in the lurch, compelling us to wait 20 minutes for another and we are old and the hour is late, we don't feel pleasant about it. An old man told me that he took the Fletcher street car at the North station, paid his fare and asked for and received a transfer to Paw-

lucketville. His car arrived at School street upon the heels of the Pawlucketville car, yet notwithstanding the transfer wouldn't have taken half a minute, the old man was left standing in the cold and being unable to walk far had to wait for the next Pawlucketville car, a matter of some 25 minutes and also a matter of grave import to the old man. I hear that the conductors are told that they don't have to wait at this point, and we feel like asking if they have instructions to wait for anything anywhere or at any time. Yet the fact remains that there are some conductors more accommodating than others. And right here I might observe that the Fletcher street car is very indifferent about allowing itself to make any concession to or connection with the Varium avenue down car, particularly in the morning when one is anxious to catch the 9.12 train for Boston. This lack of accommodation, the over-crowding of cars, and a growing tendency among conductors to rudeness and discourtesy in causing more than comment among patrons of the street cars; but until the street car people want something from the city, I suppose we'll have to get down for concessions of our character. I wonder if a flea in the ear of "the little man" who runs things would prove effective toward getting better service? Should he be paid to read this or be a listener to what is general talk we might get a squarer deal—who knows?

**With the Howlers**

The howling game is in full blast, although now the howlers are going on. If the groans are being put upon the boards daily, yet I regret to observe that many of them are not according to Hoyle. I have heretofore deplored the fact that many excellent bowlers violate the four-line with impunity, and I am obliged to repeat the complaint. Constant observers of the line seem to be growing less and less in number. Pretty soon they'll be sliding half-way down the alley and they might as well go the whole distance and kick the pins down. The score of a howler who has no regard for the line is a punk score; and if he is any kind of a sport at all he should be ashamed of himself and make up. To make the daily parade under such conditions is a great deal like larceny. But everybody's doing it, while the proprietors of the alleys stand behind the line! Don't blame one of the most gentlemanly sports going! Somebody has told me that Dan Bouchard's bowlers to the state tournament made in this paper a few weeks ago that the "Man in the Moon" beat him three straight games at ducks once upon a time, way back in our younger days, and that Dan further declared that nobody ever had accomplished that remarkable feat. Well, I suppose I would have difficulty in proving the truth of my statement, but John H. Swift is dead and Tom Golden probably could not remember. But I recall the incident very vividly. For Dan was one of the very few I could most always beat. Yes, Dan usually settled, as Sabnagund used to say, I take off my hat to Dan's old-time baseball prowess, his one time skill with the cue and his later accomplishment as a skilled golfer, but at bowling I feel sure that I can still put it all over him and my shoulders are bent with the weight of wealth and years.

**Petty Politics**

The new city government has sober obligations enough to take up all its time and call into use the best abilities it is capable of. We should be pleased to see it refrain from indulging in petty politics, and to rise above an unworthy disposition to use its position and power to work out some real or fancied private grudge. With a system of government on trial it behooves gentlemen in charge of affairs to put the best foot forward and to demonstrate the wisdom of the voters whose decision has conferred so much temporary responsibility and power upon them. I think the sense of the people doesn't consider this or that man's personal prestige or power, but that they do consider good government fairly, decently and capably administered.

THE MAN IN THE MOON.

AXEMAN PLEADED GUILTY NO NEW TRIAL

Prindle Arraigned at East Cambridge—Three Indictments for Manslaughter

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The Middlesex grand jury reported yesterday before Judge Keating at the East Cambridge court house, and Dist. Atty. William J. Corcoran had his first experience in that office in the court room. The



JAMES W. PRINDLE

grand jury reported 47 true and four no bills.

James W. Prindle, whose escapades with Bertha Eldridge, the west end girl, brought him within the toils of the court, was indicted in 14 counts

for breaking and entering and larceny, six in Somerville, two in Waltham, two in Everett, two in Malden, one in Newton and one in Reading. The girl is out on suspended sentence from the Lowell court. Prindle was arraigned and pleaded not guilty to any of the 14 counts, but later, after his counsel, Edward Creed, appeared, he was allowed to change his plea on three of the counts, and on these three, which were for breaking and entering in the day time, he pleaded guilty.

William Sanford, former employe at the Russell House, Marlboro, together with William Beretta and Edward Senicla, alias Edward Barry, were indicted on the charge of larceny of liquors valued at \$155 from the hotel, Dec. 17. It is alleged that the man took the liquors to Providence in an automobile and was captured while attempting to sell the liquors there.

Seth C. Sperry of Melrose Highlands, boss carpenter employed in the erection of the new Technology buildings, Cambridge, who, it is alleged by the Cambridge police, was in charge of the construction of the slaying about one of the cement towers being erected December 12, when the slaying, with two men upon it, gave way, one of the men, James Doran, dying from the fall, was indicted on the charge of manslaughter.

Georgiana Spaulding, the colored woman who was arrested in connection with the death of Ralph Morrill, a white man, in the Cambridge house where they were rooming together, December 7, was indicted on the charge of manslaughter. She was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

George E. Ray, motorman for the Boston Elevated, was indicted for manslaughter, charged with causing the death of Anthony Cogilliere, a Waverley farmer, Nov. 20. Cogilliere was driving his farm wagon along Concord avenue, Cambridge, when the car driven by Ray came down the hill. The car and the wagon collided, throwing Cogilliere from the wagon and causing him such injuries that he died the same day at the Cambridge hospital.

Dorr Must Go to the Chair Unless Given Executive Clemency

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—William A. Dorr of Stockton, Cal., who was convicted nearly a year ago at Salem for the murder of George E. Marsh, a wealthy Lynn soap manufacturer, must die in the electric chair, unless Governor Walsh intervenes. The full bench of the supreme court yesterday overruled his motion for a new trial and denied his exceptions.

The full text of the opinion and decision will be given out today. Dorr has been in the county jail at Salem since he was brought across the country from California, 19 months ago. George E. Marsh was found murdered on the Lynn marshes, April 12, 1912. Immediately after Dorr had been found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury in the Essex county superior court last February, his counsel, ex-Mayor C. Neal Barney of Lynn filed exceptions. The only contention that Attorney Barney relied upon before the supreme court in his exceptions was the question of jurisdiction. He contended that from the evidence presented at the trial, the jury was not warranted in finding that the crime was committed in Essex county.

On this question the full bench held that the place where Marsh was killed was question of fact for the jury alone to determine. At the trial, Dorr testified in his own behalf and admitted killing Marsh by shooting with an automatic pistol on the Lynn marshes April 11, 1912, but claimed he did so in self defense, and that the actual killing took place in Suffolk and not Essex county.

SHOT TWO YEARS AGO

PLUCKY FIGHT FOR LIFE PRACTICALLY ENDED—WIFE EMBODIES ATTEMPT TO KILL HIM

NUNAN, Ga., Jan. 10.—After a two year's fight for life, Eugene H. Grace, who was mysteriously shot in his home at Atlanta in March, 1912, is dying here today. Physicians who have aided him in his plucky fight since paralysis overtook him as a result of his wounds today said he had but a few hours to live.

For the past two weeks Mr. Grace has been steadily declining, and Thursday night he took a sudden turn for the worse.

Mrs. Daisy Grace, wife of the dying man, was acquitted of the charge of shooting him after a trial that attracted the attention of the whole country. Grace was carried into court on a cot and there accused his wife of deliberately trying to kill him.

RUINED THROUGH AIR

Two Duggan Children Hadly Hurt When Their Sled Hits Rock at New Boston, N. H.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 10.—Edward and Gertrude Duggan, children of Frank Duggan of New Boston, a former well known Manchester resident, were seriously injured yesterday when they were thrown from a sled on which they were coasting. The boy was unconscious for four hours, having been severely bruised about his body and head. Two physicians attended him. The girl lost several teeth and was badly cut about the head.

The children were coasting down an incline near their home. The sled struck a rock and they were hurled through the air. Edward landed on his head and was picked up unconscious.

PROMISES TO BE GOOD

Cambridge Girl Will Change Her Plans of Courtship—Family Reconciled

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Miss Adelaide Perry of Cambridge, who was brought into court as a stubborn child last Monday after her parents' hurried trip to New Bedford had wrecked her plans to reach Boston secretly and become Mrs. William Evans, prominent Judge Almy of the Cambridge district court yesterday that she will hereafter do her loving-making on strictly conventional lines.

William Evans, who sells the tickets at a Boston vaudeville theatre, was also present at the conference before Judge Almy. He promised to meet Miss Adelaide only beneath the parental roof, and in return he was allowed to change his engagement to his 15-year-old sweetheart at once to the throng of friends who had gathered at the court house.

The girl's father, Manuel Perry, stipulated that the wedding, when it occurred, shall be a church affair, and that until that time his daughter shall remain under his guardianship.

When this arbitration had been arranged, Judge Almy placed Miss Perry on probation, and duly appointed her father her guardian.

When the reconciled family party came out of the court house yesterday they were cheered and showered with confetti.

GERMAN PRINCE'S STATEMENT

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—Not only are all the rumored reasons for the recall of the German crown prince from Danzig to Berlin denied by his imperial highness in the course of an interview published in the Zeitung Am Mittag today, but the crown prince is said to have made the startling statement that Emperor William had recalled him because his majesty believed no more time should be lost in preparing his eldest son for the higher command which he would have to assume in case of war.

The transfer of the crown prince to the general staff was to have taken place last autumn but he requested a year's extension of his stay at Danzig. The crown prince himself said to the interviewer:

"This extension was at first granted but in December I was detailed to the general staff because his majesty considered the step necessary with the political reasons. I should immediately have to conduct large bodies of troops. I should naturally in a certain contingency command more than a regiment."

The newspaper says the crown prince probably will visit Africa in the course of this year.

LADY LOOKABOUT

When casting about for some benefactor of the human race to whom honor is due, but who has been neglected, a wreath of laurel should be placed on the brow of the man who caused the low head to be returned to fashion. He should be placed in the same category as Jenner, Lorenz, Pasteur and Lister, and he should hold first place among them. Local shoe stores have been showing the low heel for some time, but it was not until I had seen it worn by many that I decided to purchase. I have never suffered from them, but the restfulness, the ease, the joy of the low heel,—it seems that I never knew foot-comfort until now.

A new remedy for foot trouble and much of the "spurious" rheumatism of feet, knees, hips and back, is "toeing in." Observation has shown that the point of the great toe falls within the median line of the foot. All our lives we have been wearing boots which forced the great toe to a point in the middle of the foot. Notice the tracks made by your feet in walking; they should form interrupted parallel lines, and a series of divergent lines. He a bit pigeon-toed, the splay-foot is contrary to nature. Watch the graceful gait of the well-poised athletic girl of today. She toes straight ahead. Her nervous, anemic mother toed mincingly outward.

**Women as Jurors**

Since equal suffrage was granted in the state of Washington, women have been serving as jurors. At first the notion of a woman juror was met with sharp criticism, the main point of which was that the "association of mixed juries would communize her, and rob men of their respect for the sex." From the first, male jurors have treated their fellow-woman jurors with the utmost chivalrous discrimination, and they have been solicitous that she be spared every avoidable embarrassment. Women jurors have been found neither impractical nor too sympathetic. Neither have they been susceptible to the wiles of crafty attorneys, as was predicted.

Of five first degree murder cases in which women jurors sat in judgment, a verdict of guilty was returned in each case, though the charge was reduced to second degree murder in four of them. Women jurors in a "purty squard" case gave a woman plaintiff a \$300 verdict for the breaking in of her door by a policeman, who was honest, error she asked for \$10,000. Women jurors gave a woman \$1,500 for the breach of promise to wed, of a man of some property; she asked \$5,000. Another woman was awarded one dollar against a man who gave more promise of being a liability than an asset as a husband, on the ground that she was better off without his affection.

**The Traffic Bill**

For a long time I have been wondering just how the new traffic bill would affect us personally as pedestrians. I doubted if it would come down to the individual, but stop as it generally has, with the trusts. I have just read the advertisement of a reliable clothing house which refers to the saving in buying one may avail himself of since the traffic laws have effect. January 1st. The house advertises men's London overcoats. They tell the readers that these coats have come through the customs house at the new duty of 35 per cent, instead of more than 50 per cent, the old duty, which was 50 per cent, ad valorem, and it costs \$15.00, the new weight, specific duty. This amounts to a saving of one-third, which is to the purchaser's advantage.

**About Home Study**

Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, the recently re-installed superintendent of Chicago schools, probably had the correct idea in mind when she decided to discontinue home study as a part of the school curriculum. It may be that a child who spends five hours a day in school, studies enough without carrying a study period into his home. It seems to me, however, that there is another side to be considered. It is all very well for the teacher to impart or catch the children a learned lesson, but is it fair to the child that he not be required to dig and work a little for the knowledge he is to need later in life? One of the pleasantest recollections of my own youth, in the study hours we children had at home every evening, from eldest to youngest, government witness at Segoe's trial resulting in the conviction of the latter of falsifying the evidence. The case was presented before the grand jury in the winter case. Miss MacAdam is not connected with the tax office now.

The first breath of suspicion attached itself to the work of the assessor's department following the defeat of Minot D. Fenno, former tax collector, by Arthur Pendergast, who still holds the office. Shortly after Mr. Pendergast assumed office Mrs. Gladys H. Hamilton, former assessor, and her husband, in the tax books which Segoe was charged with at his trial.

One of the things some one will be asked to explain is why after abatements had been granted on the Point of Pines property to the extent of \$3100 on the 1911 valuation of \$270,150, the valuation was not only \$137,000 less the ensuing year, but a \$3500 abatement was made on this valuation.

**MRS. HATHCOTE INJURED**

By Fall on Slippery Sidewalk—Morning on Hastings Street—Fractured Knee Cap

Mrs. Joseph Hathcote, Jr., of 50 Long street met with a serious accident this morning while walking down Hastings street. She fell on the slippery sidewalk and was picked up and carried into the house at 11 Hastings street. The ambulance was immediately called and conveyed the injured woman to the Lowell General hospital where it was found that she had sustained a fracture of her left knee cap.

**PATROLMAN TO STAND TRIAL**

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Patrolman Chas. P. Miller of the Longacre street station, who is under indictment charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Ralph P. Shea of Carver street on the morning of June 17, last, will be placed on trial in the superior court Wednesday, Jan. 21.

Shea's death was the result of some trouble which occurred on the morning of June 17, on Warren street, and after Shea had been placed under arrest by Patrolman Miller, it is alleged that he resisted the officer, fatally making his escape.

Patrolman Miller pursued Shea and it is alleged that he fired a shot at Shea after the latter had entered the doorway of the house at 155 Warren street. Shea was found lying on the sidewalk of the house and was rushed to the City hospital, died on the way.

TANGO IS A SIN VERDICT STANDS

Says Paris Prelate Who Roman Curia Rejects Appeals of Duchess De Talleyrand

PARIS, Jan. 10.—Cardinal Leon Adolphe Amette, archbishop of Paris, in an admonition which will be published in the churches here today, forbids the dancing of the tango in sin which must be confessed and require penance.

The archbishop says:

"We condemn the dance imported from abroad known under the name of the tango, which, by its nature, is indecent and offensive to morals, and Christians may not in conscience take part therein.

"It will, therefore, be the duty of confessors to take notice of this in the administration of the sacrament of penance."

**For More Modest Dress**

Abbe Goupel of the archbishop's household, said today that His Eminence had for some time been distressed by the persistence of the vague idea of the tango and had hoped that it would be banished, but he felt it his duty now to intervene formally.

Cardinal Amette also will publish an official admonition on the daring and eccentricities of modern dress.

We remind the women, the cardinal says, that they should observe always the rules of Christian modesty which too often are violated. We ask Christian women to write in abolishing certain styles of dress which are contrary to decency.

**NO SIX DAY RACE**

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The Prussian government today issued a prohibition order against the holding of a six day bicycle race in the exposition hall in the west end of Berlin. The proximity of a church was given as one of the reasons.

**FOURTH DEGREE K. OF C.**

Arrangements are progressing quite satisfactorily for the banquet and knights' night of the Fourth degree, Knights of Columbus, on Jan. 25th, and the initial degree, the 15th, will along these lines indicate that it will be a great success. The principal speaker will be Thomas A. Mullen of Boston, a prominent member of the Suffolk county bar and a speaker of extraordinary ability.

9 YEARS OF LABOR SEVERAL GAMES

Succeeds in Completing Largest Water Tunnel in the World Rolled by Local Leagues Tie Score in the Concord League

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—After nine years of labor, the last barrier was broken today in the Catskill aqueduct tube, the longest water tunnel in the world. It extends 117 miles from the Ashland dam to Iosopis, N. Y., to Brooklyn, and when in operation will supply New York with 600,000,000 gallons of water daily. By many engineers the undertaking has been classed second only to the Panama canal. It cost over \$160,000,000 and nearly 200 human lives. A full roar signifying a dynamite blast 400 feet underground in Barleia marked the breaking through of the tunnel this morning. There were no special ceremonies.

The tube for the most part is 500 feet beneath the ground and in spots dips to more than seven hundred. It varies in diameter from 13 to 17 feet. Within two years it is promised that water will be flowing.

**HE ESCAPED FROM JAIL**

MAN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF MURDER AT WINNIPEG IS AT LARGE

WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 10.—John Kraschenko, arrested as the murderer of H. M. Arnold, manager of the Plum Coult branch of the bank of Montreal, escaped from the city jail here early today.

**\$10,000 SUBSCRIBED BY JEWS**

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 10.—A party of wealthy Jews of Pittsburgh by Rabbi Levy of Radof Shalom temple today sent to Miss Eva Leon, of New York, \$10,000 to be used in establishing a training school for nurses in Jerusalem. Miss Leon will sail on the Adriatic today, taking with her a competent nurse who will take charge of the school.

Rolls by Local Leagues Tie Score in the Concord League

For the first time in the present season's history a tie league game was rolled off last night. The contest was between the Fairmounts and the Riversides in the Concord league. Each team had 1318 for a playoff when the last box had been decided. The tie was rolled off, however, with the Fairmounts on the long end of the extra boxes. T. Doyle with 227 was high man and his single of 129 was also the highest put up.

A game was scheduled in the Minor league last night between the Dodgers and the Beaneums but on account of the non appearance of the latter team the Dodgers were awarded a forfeit. The other Minor league contest was played between the Bohemians and the South Ends with the former rollers in the winning end of a 1373 to 1307 score. Dwyer rolled the high total of 302 and the high single of 105.

In the C. M. A. C. league the Reds showed their superiority over the Orange by the score of 1246 to 1196, the winners taking every string. Forfeiter of the winners put up the best marks of the evening.

The Glants and the Athletics rolled a close game for their struggle for the championship of the Bay State Street Railway's office last night. The Glants won out by the score of 1243 to 1207.

LOST \$12,000 IN DAY

ASST. DIST. ATTY. LAVELLE WANTS TO KNOW WHY REVERD GRANTED ABATEMENTS

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—That the town of Revere lost \$12,000 through abatements by the assessors in the day and night of the Point of Pines Real Estate Trust has abatements of over \$13,000 in three years are facts for which Asst. Dist. Atty. Thomas D. Lavelle is seeking an explanation. The investigation which started as the mere inquiry into a few entries on the Revere tax books has assumed gigantic proportions now, and the grand jury may have the acts of more than one town official as well as those of some private citizens placed before it.

The Revere town books show, from the official perusal which is going on, that in 1910 abatements of taxes on the Point of Pines Trust property cost Revere \$6384.60; that in the following year abatements on the property amounted to \$5100, and that in 1912 the abatements totaled \$3900, making a total of \$15,384.60.

The books also show that while the property was assessed for \$372,160 in 1911, the following year it was only assessed for \$241,650, despite the fact that the property was said to have been improved to a great extent by road building. These figures showed on their face a depreciation of \$137,500. The 1913 tax for the Point of Pines property was \$276,550. This tax, \$5547.20, was paid yesterday, and Messrs. Charles P. Lancaster and Alden Mills, the trustees, are said to have left for Florida immediately after settling their tax bill.

Mr. Lavelle is anxious to interview both men.

It is alleged by several Revere citizens who have followed the case that the abatements amounting to \$12,000 which were made, according to the books on Feb. 28, 1913, were made for political reasons. The case was held at the Revere town election in all 39 parcels of property were affected by this \$12,000 loss to the town treasury.

Miss Eliza MacAdam, who was chief clerk of the assessors' office under the Segee regime and was an important

government witness at Segoe's trial resulting in the conviction of the latter of falsifying the evidence. The case was presented before the grand jury in the winter case. Miss MacAdam is not connected with the tax office now.

The first breath of suspicion attached itself to the work of the assessor's department following the defeat of Minot D. Fenno, former tax collector, by Arthur Pendergast, who still holds the office. Shortly after Mr. Pendergast assumed office Mrs. Gladys H. Hamilton, former assessor, and her husband, in the tax books which Segoe was charged with at his trial.

One of the things some one will be asked to explain is why after abatements had been granted on the Point of Pines property to the extent of \$3100 on the 1911 valuation of \$270,150, the valuation was not only \$137,000 less the ensuing year, but a \$3500 abatement was made on this valuation.

**MRS. HATHCOTE INJURED**

By Fall on Slippery Sidewalk—Morning on Hastings Street—Fractured Knee Cap

Mrs. Joseph Hathcote, Jr., of 50 Long street met with a serious accident this morning while walking down Hastings street. She fell on the slippery sidewalk and was picked up and carried into the house at 11 Hastings street. The ambulance was immediately called and conveyed the injured woman to the Lowell General hospital where it was found that she had sustained a fracture of her left knee cap.

**PATROLMAN TO STAND TRIAL**

BOSTON, Jan. 10.—Patrolman Chas. P. Miller of the Longacre street station, who is under indictment charged with manslaughter in causing the death of Ralph P. Shea of Carver street on the morning of June 17, last, will be placed on trial in the superior court Wednesday, Jan. 21.

Shea's death was the result of some trouble which occurred on the morning of June 17, on Warren street, and after Shea had been placed under arrest by Patrolman Miller, it is alleged that he resisted the officer, fatally making his escape.

Patrolman Miller pursued Shea and it is alleged that he fired a shot at Shea after the latter had entered the doorway of the house at 155 Warren street. Shea was found lying on the sidewalk of the house and was rushed to the City hospital, died on the way.



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**PIGGERIES OBJECTED TO**  
Mayor Wright Orders Them Moved Onto Land Inside the Worcester City Limits  
WORCESTER, Jan. 10.—As the result of a protest from the selectmen of Shrewsbury to the state board of health, Mayor George M. Wright issued orders yesterday to the overseers of the poor to remove the manure piggeries at the Home Farm from land in Shrewsbury onto land inside the city limits. Part of the Home Farm extends over the line into the town of Shrewsbury and the superintendent of the farm has used a portion of this Shrewsbury land as a site for a pig-perry. Residents of Shrewsbury object to the presence of so many hogs in their midst, chiefly because of the odors that arise from the garbage that is fed to the swine during the hot summer months. In issuing the orders for a removal of the piggeries, the mayor instructs the Home Farm officials to locate them on the most isolated portion of the farm and to construct the feeding troughs in such a way that they can be washed every day.

**STEAMSHIP IS SINKING**  
NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 10.—In response to wireless call reporting "Steamer Comet sinking off South Shoals," the Acushnet left New Bedford for her assistance.

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**NEW HAVEN'S BONDS VOID**  
Supreme Court Annuls Decision Which Authorized Issuance of \$67,000,000 Bond  
BOSTON, Jan. 10.—The \$67,000,000 convertible bond issue recently authorized by the Massachusetts Public Service commission, on which the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad had relied to place its finances on a permanent basis, was yesterday afternoon declared illegal, and the public service commission's order annulling the supreme court of Massachusetts.

The supreme court's decision is a victory for Morgan G. Bulkeley, former governor of Connecticut, on whose appeal the question came before the court, and an endorsement of the position taken by George W. Anderson of the public service commission in his minority report.

One effect of the decision is to make null and void the New Haven "rights" which have been selling in the market at about 15c, and which have been traded into a total of hundreds of thousands of dollars. All transactions in the sale of the bonds themselves are also rendered null and void, they having been conducted "when, as and if issued." These transactions have gone up into the millions. Only yesterday, at the close of the market, the bonds were selling strong at 19 1/2%.

When the bond issue first came before the public service commission last September, there were predictions freely made that the failure of the board to ratify the issue would force the New Haven into bankruptcy. One Boston banker told the rejection of the bond issue. When it became evident that the issue, though passed by the commission by a 4 to 1 vote, was in danger of being delayed, if not rejected, by the supreme court, the board was temporarily financing to meet the \$40,000,000 of short term notes which were soon due by negotiating a loan with J. P. Morgan & Co. for six months. In this way the immediate emergency was put off.

It was said yesterday that the action of the supreme court left two courses of action open to the New Haven.

One is to appeal to the legislature to change the financial sections of the railroad act of 1913 so as to allow the public service commission to authorize convertible bonds. In connection with this possibility it is pointed out that the supreme court in its decision yesterday took pains to state specifically that they do not hold that convertible issues in general are illegal and that they do not deny that they may be a highly desirable form of security, but that under the statute they cannot be issued.

"This," says the court, "is a matter rather for legislative than judicial consideration."

Should this course be adopted by the New Haven, a vigorous fight at the state house is predicted. Commissioner Anderson, in discussing the court's decision last night, said he could not conceive of the legislature adopting any legislation which would make such an issue legal.

The other alternative, which was pointed out last night by Chairman Frederick J. Macleod of the public service commission, is to call a new special meeting of the stockholders, authorize a new bond issue without the convertible feature which was responsible for the present issue's failure.

**Dr. Kellogg Advocates Registry for Purpose of Developing Race of Human Thoroughbreds**  
BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Jan. 10.—Eugenics registry office for the purpose of developing a race of human thoroughbreds, was one of the suggestions of Dr. J. K. Kellogg of Battle Creek, speaking today at the national conference of race betterment.

"It only takes four generations to make a thoroughbred when the principles of eugenics have a fair chance to operate," said Dr. Kellogg. "We have registers for horses, cattle, sheep, pigs and even cats and dogs. If a lady wishes to establish the standing of her pet poodle, she can do so by appealing to an official record and the puny canine may lift its head above its fellows as a born aristocrat; but nowhere on earth as far as I know is there to be found a registry for human beings."

The hope is entertained by the members of this conference that one of the results of the meeting may be the establishment of such a registry. Indeed, it seems the time has fully come when an eugenics registry office should be established in which may be recorded the names of infants who are born under eugenic conditions and perhaps also the names of persons who in person and pedigree are able to measure up to eugenic standards.

**Addressed Men of Fifth St. Church on "Civic Problems"**  
The men of the Fifth Street Baptist church listened last evening to an address on "Civic Problems" by Rev. Clarence R. Skinner and were mightily interested in what he had to say. He spoke of the housing problem in Lowell, stating that the tenement houses here wherein are crowded many of the workers with large families, are located in a section where good light and pure air are not to be obtained.

"Popular men as a rule," he said, "are chosen to office in American cities. Popular men are not chosen by big corporations to supervise business, because mere popularity is not in itself anything of any special value. Yet American cities are run by men. In many instances, who possess the rather negligible quality of popularity. Throughout Germany, municipal experts have shown that they can accomplish what men under the active system in America have not accomplished."

The speaker urged the establishment of schools where students in municipal problems may receive the proper education, where they can fit themselves for tasks which are just as distinct from other walks of life, and as far as possible, to the race as a whole, many of those for which men fit themselves now in colleges.

He referred to the orderliness of German cities. This fact is immediately impressed on the traveling American who, in many instances, comes from a place where, except there be police control, there is very little evidence of good order maintained. In Germany the people have so long been trained to the keeping of order, even in minor affairs, that now they rejoice in it. It is not an oppression to them.

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**LOWELL CHORAL SOCIETY**  
Preparing for Great Midwinter Event on January 27—Music Program Prepared  
The Lowell Choral Society has had in preparation for its mid-winter concert, which occurs on Tuesday, January 27, two noteworthy cantatas. One is an old friend, viz. "Eurydice," by Max Bruch, which is the story in song of the siege of Lucknow. The other is a new work by the genius, S. Cotelle-Taylor, entitled "A Tale of Old Japan," and is full of the beauties and dramatic effects which characterize his compositions set to the Hawaiian story by Longfellow. The composition is of almost recent interest, because it was inspired by the beauties of a June day on an automobile drive in the southwestern part of Massachusetts. The work is dedicated to Mr. Carl Stockel of Norfolk, Conn., who was the host of Cotelle-Taylor at the time. By the way, it will be of interest to know that Mr. Stockel is interested in the production of the work by the local society as a gift, he loaned the society 50 copies of the score when he found it was having difficulty in renting enough to supply the chorus.

As to the talent which will aid the society, it may be said that it has been the aim of the executive committee to present at each successive concert a group of vocalists equal in excellence to any which may have appeared at a previous season. For this concert there has been secured Miss Grace Kerns, one of the leading sopranos in New York. She has appeared as soloist with the Worcester Oratorio Society, the Handel and Haydn society, and many other choral societies of recognized standing. She is described "as a singer with a phenomenal voice power and great cultivation" and "possesses a lyric voice of great brilliancy and sweetness, added to which is a rare ability to interpret."

Mrs. Ada B. Child of Boston is the contralto, and is known to music loving people of the city. She has an exceptionally pure contralto voice, rich in quality. It is an acknowledged fact that with a "wonderful range and resonance of tone which gives delight to her hearers."

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